WHY SHOULDN'T IT
THE SUN LEADS EVERY PAPER IN LOWELL IN CIRCULATION. WHY SHOULDN'T IT? NO PAPER IN TOWN COMPARES WITH IT AS A PAPER.

THE LOWELL SUN

WEIRD CEREMONY
AT CHINESE FUNERALS THE WONDER AND SURPRISE OF CHRISTIANS—THE JOSS HOUSE IN MOTT STREET DESCRIBED FULLY IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

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THE WEATHER.

Threatening weather prevailed Sunday and last night over the northeast, but generally without rain or snow. It was fair in other districts. An extensive cold wave covered the west and northwest, with temperatures ranging from freezing to 10 degrees below zero. Fair, colder weather is indicated for New England, and promises to last through Tuesday and Wednesday and perhaps Thursday, with west to northwest winds. The mercury will probably fall to 20 degrees and may be several degrees lower in northern sections of the district.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, NOV. 23.
Sun rises—6:45; sets, 4:17.
High water—9:02 a. m.; 9:32 p. m.
Moon rises—1:36 a. m.

POLICE COURT.

Twenty-one drunks.

Mary Heeps received five months in the workhouse.

William Desmond was awarded six months at the state farm.

Mary Hansbury took six in jail.

Frank Hallowood goes to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Frank Rigney, whose offence was larceny, received five months in jail.

Lizette Lambert and Joseph L. Evans were arrested from a house on Rock street by Inspectors Goodwin and Donaldson, the first on a charge of fornication and the latter for alleged adultery. She was fined $20. He was held in $800 until tomorrow.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, MONDAY, AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

DEATHS.

HUGHES—Mrs. Anne Hughes died at her home 11 Mill street. She leaves five daughters and one son.

RICHARDSON—George H. Richardson of this city died at Haverhill about 1 p. m., Saturday, from catarrhal pneumonia, aged 54 years. He had been doing some clerical work in the registrars' office, but went to Haverhill about a fortnight ago, sick. He was 54 years of age at the time of his death, and leaves a wife, two daughters, and one son. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity; a past commander of Post 165, G.A.R., a past grand of Lowell lodge, I.O.O.F., and a past noble commander of Washington Commandery, Golden Cross. In all three of the last named orders he has been prominent and active, but for the past few years had been in failing health. He was an attendant of the John street Congregational church.

O'BRIEN—Ellen O'Brien, wife of Patrick O'Brien, died at her home, 11 Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon, aged 59 years.

McGARRAHAN—Ann McGarrahan, aged 36 years, wife of James McGarrahan, died Saturday morning at 211 Dutton street.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

YOU WILL BE THANKFUL ALL THE YEAR IF YOU WEAR
Box Calf
SHOES WHICH HAVE THIS TRADE MARK CHECK ATTACHED
TURN TO AND GET REWARD
All others are imitations

J. F. O'DONNELL, UNDERTAKER,
Market, Corner Worthen Street. Telephone.

FOUND—A STRAY SHEPHERD DOG PUP on Mammoth Road Saturday morning. Owner can have same by calling at 89 Mammoth Road, Pawtucketville.

WANTED — MANAGER FOR BRANCH office. Old established firm. $900 and expenses first year. $540 cash require1 to cover stock carried. Address Manufacturer, care "Sun."

TO LET—TENEMENTS OF FIVE AND SIX rooms, three minutes from Middlesex street depot. $1.50 per week and upwards. Arnold J. Ryan, 14 Appleton street.

$7 TO $15
GOOD ORGANS for above prices. Call at once. Must have the room.
GEORGE A. GARDNER,
20 Prescott Street.

TURKEY ROASTERS. Just what you want for your Thanksgiving turkey; with one pound of 60 cent Tea at O'Brien Bros.' Tea Dealers, 77 East Merrimack street. Telephone 69-3. Free delivery.

The Late T. J. TANCRED, Died November 19.

A SUDDEN DEATH

John J. Tancred of the Post Office

TAKEN ILL AT DINNER ON SATURDAY

And He Died in the Evening.

John J. Tancred, aged 21 years, a clerk in the postoffice, died very suddenly last evening at his home on Walker street Saturday night. He was taking ill while eating dinner and gradually grew worse till death relieved his suffering. Catarrh of the stomach is given as the cause of death.

He was a member of the Post Office Clerks' association, Court City of Lowell, A.O.F., Young Mens' Lyceum, Alumni of St. Patrick's school and the Alpine club.

Besides his father, he leaves two sisters, one of whom is head trimmer at Abel's millinery store and the other is a book keeper in the Merrimack Manufacturing company. He was a very popular young man and his sudden death was a great shock to his friends.

The funeral will take place from the house on Walker street at 8.30 o'clock tomorrow morning and mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. St. Patrick's School Alumni association held a meeting yesterday and appointed a committee on resolutions and voted to send a floral tribute. The following will represent the association at the funeral: Brother Clement, Arthur Warern, William Regan, Daniel Murphy and John Sullivan.

The Catholic Lyceum also held a meeting yesterday and appointed a committee to attend the funeral.

The Alpine club will attend the funeral.

KILLED BY GAS.

Providence, Nov. 22.—Sunday morning Patrick Davey, 27 years old, and Thomas Davey, 37 years of age, were found in their room in an unconscious condition from inhalation of illuminating gas which escaped from a jet accidentally left half open. Doctors were summoned, but before they arrived Patrick died. The physicians worked for several hours over Thomas, and he was finally pronounced as probably out of danger. It is supposed that Patrick, who was the last to go to bed, after shutting off the gas, hit the stopcock and partially opened it.

Never Returned

Sore Discharged for Years But Hood's Cured

Catarrh Entirely Overcome by This Great Medicine.

"Several years ago my mother had a sore on her back just below her neck, which did not heal but kept running for three or four years. I feared it might result in a cancer. She was induced to begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and in a short time the sore healed and it never returned. My own use of Hood's Sarsaparilla was first for catarrh. I had this trouble very badly for several years, but after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was entirely cured. I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for different purposes since then with good results." R. K. CALDWELL, Box 76, West Northfield, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Is the Best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1, six for $5. Get Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate, 25c.

A BRUTAL HOLD-UP

Blind Man Robbed on South Common.

CLERK CARPENTER LOSES HIS SATCHEL.

Other Bits of Police Stolen News.

A very mean and cowardly hold-up occurred on the South Common on Saturday night, the victim being William A. Severance, the veteran piano player, and organ tuner, residing on Center street.

Mr. Severance, who is nearly blind, was attacked by three burly ruffians, while on his way home and was robbed of $25, a silver hunting case watch, three promissory notes, worth in the aggregate $340, a gold coin and other articles.

It was about midnight when he started across the common and he had not gone far when he was held up by two men who asked him for a match.

He told his captors that he was blind but that only made them laugh and they walked Mr. Severance down in the direction of the pond where a third man awaited them. There they threw Mr. Severance in the snow and went through his pockets, getting the booty as mentioned.

After taking all they could find on him the thieves left Mr. Severance with the threat that they would kill him if he cried out.

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen were made acquainted with the facts in the case and they are working on it.

CLERK CARPENTER ROBBED.

Clinton R. Carpenter, the clerk in the Purchasing Agent's office, is being hoodoed by someone or something for he has lost every thing but his job, within the past week. In the middle of last week his overcoat was taken from the rack in the corridor at his boarding house on Appleton street. Mr. Carpenter rooms in the Odd Fellows' building and on Saturday night while his back was turned someone walked off with his satchel containing letters and papers of value to the owner only.

CAUGHT WRONG MAN.

A man supposedly drunk broke the window in an Armenian's pool room on Central street Saturday evening. The proprietor immediately gave chase to the man who ran as soon as he saw the broken glass. Then they had an interesting chase, during which they turned into Charles street getting separated in the dark. A cop who was patrolling in the vicinity, heard the cries and coming along the street ran into the Armenian. Now the cop didn't know what had been going on so he just held the Armenian despite the latter's protests and sent him to the police station while the man who caused the rumpus got away.

A SNATCH THIEF.

While an unknown lady was passing City Hall Saturday, a snatch thief took her pocket book from her hand and made his escape.

IN FOR LARCENY.

Frank Rigney, an old offender, was arrested yesterday by Officer Sanborn for alleged larceny of two saws, the property of George A. Patten.

BILL HAYES' HORSE.

Bill Hayes' horse is still among the missing. It was stolen on Friday night from the corner of Moody and Tremont streets and has not been seen or heard of since.

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL.

William O'Neil, who formerly resided in Middle street, was taken to the city farm hospital. He was found about a week ago lying in Connors' stable, where he had been kicked by a horse. He caught cold in the wound.

First class printing at this office.

2 O'CLOCK

POLITICAL FIELD

Registration Now the Important Factor.

VOTERS DROPPED — SLOW TO COME FORWARD.

Mail and L'Etoile Screaming in Unison.

In local politics, registration is the question of the hour. The numbers being registered are rather disappointing to th edemocratic hustlers who find it hard to reach the unregistered. The latter must have a very low appreciation of the value of the franchise which gives them a share in the sovereignty of the people and as much power individually as any other citizen in the land. One vote is just as good as another. One vote may decide the election of a mayor an alderman or a councilman and yet there are, it appears men who do not care enough for that power to ask for it. One vote defeated Hon. Fisher H. Pearson when he ran for alderman and that is why he is hustling now to get every democrat eligible for the franchise registered. He feels, perhaps, more keenly on account of his experience the value and the potency of one vote, although he is sanguine of being elected by a good majority over his opponent on the republican ticket.

Who that opponent will be is yet undecided, but the probabilities point toward Col. Bennett. He is the logical candidate, he is boomed for the office, as such by the leading men in the party, and because they claim no other candidate would have any chance of election.

It is rumored that the Lawton men have appointed a delegation to wait upon the Wilson managers to ask them to withdraw their candidate while on the other hand the Wilson men cannot understand why Mr. Lawton or anybody else should under estimate their candidates's strength as shown in the caucuses last year and at the polls when elected alderman. The managers of the Wilson campaign are to request the Lawton men to pull their candidate out of the contest and give Mr. Wilson a fair chance to beat Col. Bennett in the caucuses. Mr. Wilson thing he could do this easily and "that as Lawton was the last to enter the fight, he should be the first to get out. He is the logical candidate to back out because of being the weakest, the newest, the least deserving."

At the two sessions of the registrars of voters, Saturday, 95 names were placed on the list. So far 346 names have been added to the lists, divided by wards as follows:

Ward One, 34; Ward Two, 46; Ward Three, 43; Ward Four, 40; Ward Five, 59; Ward Six, 42; Ward Seven, 28; Ward Eight, 26; Ward Nine, 31. It will be seen that democratic Ward Five heads the list in the number of names added and republican Ward Eight is at the foot.

Fred Rourke of Rourke & Sullivan, coal dealers, is the latest candidate for purchasing agent. He is a capable young business man who has served as representative and as Common Councilman to the satisfaction of his constituents.

The Mail, L'Etoile, and Chairman P'core of the republican city committee are out in a general hullabaloo over the intimation of illegal registration by The Sun. They try to turn the ire of the French voters against the democratic candidate by saying that the charge is made against French residents but not a single word has been said in reference to any French resident. It is against other Canadians, notably a few from Nova Scotia, who claim to have been voters of Vermont or other New England states. The cases are being investigated.

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A meeting of the democratic candidates for the Common Council, Overseer of the Poor, and School Board was held in the citizens' committee room Sunday afternoon and the following officers were mutually agreed upon for the caucus to be held next Friday evening: Chairman, John J. Mullaney; secretary, Dennis J. Pendergast; ballot distributor, Patrick F. Grady.

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THE DOUBLE BREASTED SACK
Is enjoying a renewal of its old time popularity among the smart dressers this season.
We are prepared to please the critical trade with our showing of novelties.
The favorite cloths are Cheviots and Undressed Worsteds in blue and black. In addition to these our line of Fancy Scotch Cheviots and Mixtures is varied and select, with plain colors. Striped trousers are in good taste.
$7.50 to $18.
MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.
Fashion Corner, Opp. City Hall.

MISS MAUDE NUGENT, The Gifted Author of "Sweet Rosie O'Grady," and Miss Nugent appeared at Music Hall its companion song, "Mamie Reilly," last week and Made a Decided Hit.

FUNERALS.

JAGGER—The funeral services of Rev. W. S. Jagger of Graniteville took place Saturday morning. Services were held in the church, conducted by Rev. David Ela, D.D., of Hudson, a personal friend of the deceased. There were many manifestations of sorrow at the grave.

FARLEY—At St. Peter's church Saturday requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McDonough for the repose of the soul of Frank J. Farley. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the service and at the funeral. The bearers were James Cahill, James Casey, Thomas Casey, Patrick Farley, George Garrahan and George Whalen. The ushers were Alderman Charles H. Cosgrove and Andrew A. Gray. Dr. T. F. Cuff had charge of the funeral arrangements. Among the floral offerings were a crescent and star from the family; basket of flowers, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McAloon, pillow, Mr. and Mrs. James Farley; pillow, Miss Bridget O'Mara; dove on a base of flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Mara; spray of roses Miss Margaret Neville; spray of carnations, Miss Maggie Higgins; spray of chrysanthemums, Miss Annie Casserly; spray of roses, Miss Mary Guthrie.

HOLDEN—The funeral of Nellie Holden occurred yesterday afternoon from her parents' home in Murphy's yard, off Fenwick street and was largely attended. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Kane, Michael Fleming, Edward White, John Crowley, William Ambrose and Walter Queenan. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

KENNEDY—The funeral of Margaret Kennedy occurred yesterday afternoon from her late home, 131 Suffolk street. The bearers were Michael Dean, James Saunders, William Barry, Cornelius Sullivan, Daniel Hart and John McCarthy. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery Rev. Fr. Rourke conducted the service.

CHURCH—The funeral services of H. C. Church took place at the late home of the deceased, 444 Fletcher street, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. A. Bartlett officiating. Dr. Sullivan L. Ward, assisted by Edward Ellingwood, had charge. There was singing by a quartette consisting of Messrs. Murphy and Adams, Miss Hathaway and Mrs. Jenkins. The bearers were his two sons and Messrs. A. G. Cumnock, A. G. Pollard, Jacob Rogers, and E. M. Tucke. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

The directors of the Central Savings bank, a delegation of firemen and another of insurance men attended the funeral.

DEMOCRATS, REGISTER MONDAY.

FOOTBALL.

The Big Seven won their game Saturday by default as only half of the West Ends appeared on the grounds ready to play and their captain forfeited the game to the Big Seven. We will play the same team on the ball grounds November 25, in the morning at 9.30 o'clock. It will be worth going to see as the teams are evenly matched.

—Big Seven A. C.

The Junior Y.P.S.C.E. of the First Trinitarian Congregational church held a sociable at Mechanics hall Saturday afternoon.

REGISTRATION MONDAY FROM 1 TO 3, AND 7 TO 9 P. M.

A FEW
Cold weather specialties for out-of-door workers.
CANVAS JACKETS, beach, blanket and sheep lined, perfectly wind proof,
$1.25 to $4.00.
EXTRA HEAVY REEFERS, of Friezes and Chinchillas, velvet and ulster collars,
$3.00 to $8.00.
BUTCHERS ALL WOOL BLUE FROCKS, very full and long.
BUTCHERS DRIVING ULSTERS of Dickey cassimere and all wool blue frocking.
PUTNAM & SON,
No 166 CENTRAL STREET.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

Several churches observed yesterday as Hospital Sunday for the benefit of the Lowell General hospital. The Eliot church took the lead. The pastor of the Kirk street church preached an eloquent sermon on temperance.

Money Deposited
On or before Friday December 3rd, in the Savings Department of the
Traders' National Bank
Will draw interest from December 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi-annually.
HOURS { Daily 8 a. m. to 4 p. m. Saturdays 8 a. m. to 1, p. m. 7 to 9 p. m.
30 Middlesex street, 11 Post Office Avenue.
Chas. J. Glidden, President.
William F. Hills, Cashier.

Don't Miss This Snap
Tomorrow, Tuesday, Nov. 23d
We Will Sell at "Special Sale Prices" Nearly 200, regular $1.25
SOFA PILLOWS
Or Large Chair Cushions at only
71c. For Choice.

The coverings are the handsomest and most durable possible to procure.

The designs are unique and will beautify any room. The sizes are 17x23. The stuffing is a combination of the very best ABSORBENT materials which will not mat by use. The rich coverings are equal to, or better than silk.

Every miss, maiden, matron, man or boy would use one of these Pillows or Cushions, if they can get one to use.

This is no regular sale, but
"To Break the Backbone of Tuesday,"
the dullest day in the week. We offer this "rich, rare" bargain to all who come as long as the stock lasts at 71c. for choice. The regular price is $1.25.

Large Ladies, wearing 46 and 48 bust measure Wrappers, will be glad to know that we have just added to our Flannellette Wrapper stock new styles at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 each, in all sizes, 32 to 48. All made from this warm material. No trouble to show whether you buy or not.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.
CENTRAL STREET,
THE PLACE OF RARE BARGAINS, "WHICH DIDN'T BUST UP."

LARGE GOLD MINE

Sea Water Said to Contain Gold.

A MACHINE FOR EXTRACTING IT NOW ERECTED.

On Shore of Passamaquody Bay.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 22.—The announcement of the discovery of a commercially profitable process for the extraction of gold and silver from sea water by Rev. Prescott F. Jernegan, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this city, has created great interest in the scientific world, as the discovery tends to revolutionize the present ratios of value of these two metals.

The process was discovered in the summer of 1896, and has been perfected by numberless experiments made since then in the Irish Sea, German Ocean, English Channel, Long Island Sound, Narragansett Bay, Passamaquoddy Bay, and the South Pacific Ocean. In all, 150 tests have been made, showing no appreciable difference in the quantitative presence of gold and silver. The average amount is from one-half to one grain of gold to a ton of sea water, or 76,000,000,000 city, a deacon in his church and for ocean. The amount of silver is from one to two grains per ton of water.

Mr. Jernegan associated with him in these experiments A. B. Ryan of this of tons of gold from the waters of the the past six months they have been perfecting the apparatus for the extracting of the metals. They have purchased two tide mills on Passamaquoddy Bay, and have now fifty hands engaged in surrounding their plant with a ten-foot fence, so as to keep out inquisitive callers.

The process is a close secret, but the water, which at high tide is twenty feet above low water mark, recedes as the tide flows out through a series of twenty identical pieces of self-operating apparatus, leaving the silver and gold at the bottom. One hundred and fifty of these gold traps are to be erected at once in addition. So easily operated are these machines that three men could handle 150 of them and the cost of obtaining the metal is very small. Each tide brings new wealth and the supply is inexhaustible. It is expected that within a few weeks this plant will yield $100 a day and before next spring $1000 a day, as new machinery is being constantly put in.

The process of securing the metals from sea water is so simple that if the secret were revealed any person at a small cost might operate his own gold mine on the sea shore. The works are being closely guarded by armed watchmen, and the Electrolytic Marine Salts company has been incorporated in the state of Maine to develop this discovery. The capital stock has been placed at $10,000,000. So confident is the company of which Mr. Ryan is president, of the value of this discovery, that they have already refused $1,000,000 for the secret.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20.

Locks & Canals to Harry L. Stanley, lot of land on Tremont street, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Upham avenue, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Court street, $1.

May Cathcart, admr., to Ella A. Favor, William Cathcart estate on Jewett avenue, $1560.

Walter H. McDaniels, trustee, to Finley Chesholm, lot of land on Aiken avenue, $1.

Locks & Canals to Sophronie Desmais lot of land on Lakeview avenue, $1.

Harry S. Allen to George W. Bagley, lot of land at Boulevard extension, $1.

Harry C. Fuller to Lizzie M. Heery, land with buildings on Parkview avenue, $1.

Shepard, Russell & Fuller to William B. Hutchins, land on Parkview avenue, $1.

Faulkner mills to Sterling mills, lot of land on River Meadow brook, $1.

American Bolt Co., to Sterling mills, lot of land on Sherman street, $3670.

Hiram Whitney to Elisee Soucy, land with buildings on Riverside Park, $850.

DRACUT.

Arthur Lyman, trustee, to James Bennett, lot of land at Kenwood, $1.

Charles Callahan to James Bennett, lot of land at West Kenwood, $1.

Charles Calahan to Maria Bennett, lot of land at West Kenwood, $1.

T. C. Lee, to William J. Coughlin, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to John J. Donovan, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Stephen J. Johnson, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to John J. Hogan lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Fred C. Miller lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Constantine O'Donnell, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to George M. Harrigan, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

George B. Coburn to Joseph McIntire, lot of land on Beacham avenue, $1.

BILLERICA.

William B. Moffat to Peter A. Fay, lot of land on Maple street, $1.

Jacob W. Wilbur to W. B. Moffat, lot of land at Fordway Park, $1.

WILMINGTON.

James B. Wiggin to Ella A. Shattuck, land with buildings, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Charles W. S. Adams et ux., to M. E. Morris, lot of land at North Chelmsford, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Butman farm, $1.

CARLISLE.

Mary A. Duren to William H. Simonds, lot of land, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Arthur Beaupre to Hiram Whitney, land with buildings on Riverside Park, $1.

Lewis D. Gumb to Town of Tewksbury, lot of land at South Lowell, $2000.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

MRS. JARLEY'S WAX WORKS.

MOST SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT OF KIND EVER GIVEN IN PORTLAND.

"A prophet is not without honor save in his own country."

As this comes to mind, one tries to reckon on seeing the audiences which honor Miss McCobb at home, what must be the tribute paid to her in strange countries—in what ratio the honors increase toward her as she proceeds on her "strolling tours."

Here and there one hears a stranger (not a Portlander) say: "Oh, yes I've seen the Jarley wax work show; I forget just who it was; somewhere, I forget just where."

Such vagueness does not refer to the true and only Jarley of Miss McCobb's creation. One never forgets who was nor where was, the Mrs. Jarley whom she personates nor that evening of merit.—Portland Press.

The management of the Old Ladies' Home Festival have secured Miss McCobb to give one of her unique exhibitions in aid of fthe home, December 2, and tickts can be secured now at Durant's, jeweller.

HENRY WATTERSON

TO SPEAK ON LINCOLN AT MANCHESTER, N. H.

The members of the Manchester Federation of Women's clubs have shown commendable enterprise in securing Henry Watterson as a feature of their course of instructive entertainments. It is not often that the people of Manchester have such an opportunity as is here presented. Colonel Watterson is beyond question the most striking and forceful personality in American journalism and he is at the same time a most graceful and eloquent public speaker. His subject, Abraham Lincoln, is an inspiring one and is certain to be treated in a most masterful and entertaining manner.

GIFTS TO THE HOSPITAL.

The following gifts are acknowledged by St. John's hospital through the Messenger published by the Ladies of Charity: Basket of pears, Mrs. E. C. Coffin; 318 Andover street; basket of pears, Dr. R. E. Bell; $20, Mr. John Powell, 76 Agawam street; one bushel of turnips, Mr. Shanley; pillow slips, Mrs. John Powell, 76 Agawam street; reading matter, Mr. Christopher Green, Blanchard place, E. Merrimack street; one barrel of flour, some tea and 25 pounds of sugar, Mr. Buckley; one bushel of apples and quinces, an unknown friend; one-half bushel of pears, Mr. J. K. Fellows; one and one-half bushels of pears, Putnam & Son; ten gallons of wine, Rev. Martin J. Lee; two gallons of piccalilli, Mrs. Miles F. Brennan; two gallons of preserved pears, box of clothing for the poor, children's books and pencils, and towels and napkins for the Children's ward, Mrs. Elias A. McQuade of Bridge street; clothing for the poor, Miss Gregg; a beautiful parrot, Mr. James Monohan; two canaries, Mr. N. Allen; material for bandages, Mrs. Christopher Green, Blanchard place, E. Merrimack street.

For all of the above very timely and useful gifts, the Sisters extend their heartfelt thanks and also wish to express their gratitude to Mr. Frank J. Doherty for painting gratuitously a new cupboard for the operating room.

A POPULAR BUILDER.

Among the builders of the city there are few who have built more houses within the past year or two than Francis T. Wilson who resides at 80 Dover street. Among his most recent buildings are nine houses for Mr. Rodliff on Jenness street; three for A. C. Stevens on McKinley street; five in Kenneson court; five for A. G. Ryan in Pawtucketville; one for Rusell & Fuller; three at the Oaklands; one on Bellevue street; one on Hastings street; one on Orleans street; one on Ennell street and one on Midland street, with several others in different parts of the city. He employs a large force of men and always works with them himself.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Mr. Editor—Will you please inform me when the civil service examinations will be held? —Subscriber.

The following notice has been sent to the press, but the dates have not been issued as yet. You can find out by applying to Mr. Conant:

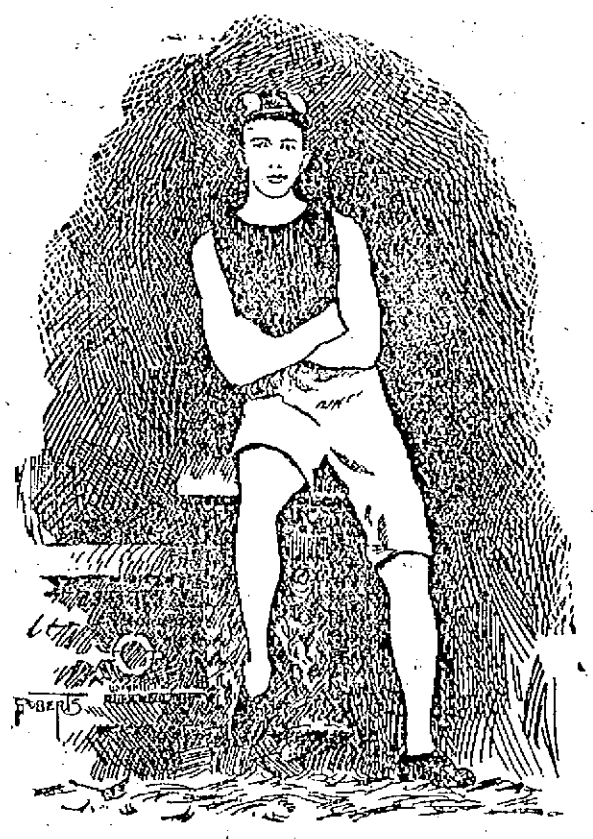
The Massachusetts Civil Service Commissioners are about to hold examinations for positions in the civil engineering forces of the cities of the Commonwealth and are ready to receive applications from persons who wish to take examinations.

Citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year and of the city of Lowell for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Blank applications may be obtained of C. H. Conant secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners for the city of Lowell.

The applications, after being properly filled out, must be sent to the Civil Service Commissioners, State House Boston.

EXPRESS WAGON ROBBED.

Two bundles were taken from a wagon belonging to the New York and Boston Despatch company on Central street this morning.



THOMAS KELLEY, Lowell's Most Popular Runner.

UNITED ORGANIZATION

OF THE DESCENDANTS OF THE REVOLUTION.

The union between the Sons of the American Revolution and the Sons of the Revolution seems at last to have been accomplished, the new constitution of the "Society of the American Revolution" being accepted by the two organizations. This is at it should be. Through one strong, national organization can the descendants of the patriots of '76 best accomplish that for which they band together and which, in the phraseology of the new constitution, is to perpetuate the memory of the men who, in the military, naval or civil service of the Colonies and of the Continental Congress, by their acts or counsel, achieved the independence of this country; to further proper celebrations of the anniversaries of the birthday of Washington and of prominent events connected with the War of the Revolution; to collect, publish, and secure for preservation the rolls, records and other documents relating to that period; to mark by appropriate monuments historic places; to impress upon the present and future generations the patriotic spirit which actuated our ancestors in establishing the republic of the United States.

THE SEVERE NORTHERN WINTERS

Experienced for the past few years, and with such a changeable climate, have a tendency to raise havoc with the Throat and Lungs, subjecting people to attacks of Asthma, Bronchitis, and acute and chronic coughs, at first a harmless cold or cough, which was allowed to take its course. Always keep Cleveland's Lung Healer on hand. Call on F. H. Butler & Co., 265 Central street and 391 Middlesex street and get a trial bottle free. Large size, 25c.

THANKSGIVING ATTRACTIONS.

Thanksgiving Day in the Y.M.C.A. hall there will be an old-fashioned dinner for young men who reside in other cities and towns, but who are unable to leave for home.

Thanksgiving Eve in Huntington hall the veteran firemen will have a ball.

In their quarters in Dracut, members of Bachman hose company will have a ball Thanksgiving night.

Out-of-town visitors will be entertained at the rooms of the Lowell chess and checker club Thanksgiving Day.

Entries closed at 10 o'clock Saturday night for the cross country run of the members of the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium Thanksgiving Day.

In Thomas Talbot Memorial hall, at North Billerica, Thanksgiving night, there will be an entertainment in aid of St. Anne's mission.

Thanksgiving Eve there will be a kirmess in Associate hall in aid of the Working Girls' home of St. Patrick's parish.

Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, there will be dancing in Associate hall under the direction of the Clover club.

J. A. Bartlett will be general manager of the assembly which Chelmsford Centre residents will have in the town hall Thanksgiving night.

INJUNCTION HEARING.

The hearing on the petition for a permanent injunction restraining the city of Lowell from making any payments on account of the recent outing of the Lowell and Lawrence city governments will be held at Cambridge on the first Monday in December.

MUSIC HALL

"THE FAST MAIL."

Lincoln J. Carter, the young Chicagoan, author of the melodrama, "The Fast Mail," is a remarkable young fellow, on the La Inez pattern, in variety of accomplishments. He wrote his own play, and it's a good one of its class, he acts a principal part and does it well, he paints all his own scenery, constructs all his elaborate mechanical effects, and designs all the pictorial work used for advertising "The Fast Mail." Truly a bright young fellow, who creates his own career without trampling over anybody else.

"The Fast Mail" will appear at Music Hall Thursday, Friday and Saturday with matinees Thanksgiving and Saturday.

ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

FIRST RECITAL IN ODD FELLOWS TEMPLE.

The first recital of the Orchestral society was held yesterday at Odd Fellows Temple was pronounced a success, highly creditable to the society, and the artists who participated. The program, as printed in Saturday's Sun, was rendered in grand style although it was of the most difficult character. Mr. Carl Barlelna proved a master hand at the violin; his numbers winning the most enthusiastic applause. He responded to an encore and repeated some of his more artistic movements in a bewitching manner. Miss Avis C. Day, soprano, and Miss Helen Day, contralto, each gave a song and joined in a duet from Semiramide, an encore being demanded for the duet. The first named has a clever execution and the latter a pleasing contralto voice. As an encore for the duet, the audience was favored with a devout rendering of "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" set to the music of one of Lassen's songs.

The playing of the orchestra was probably the most effective it ever accomplished. Mr. Horjes as leader did his work well as usual and Sidney R. Fleet was equally efficient as accompanist.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 20, 1897.

Population, 87,000; total deaths, 42; deaths under five, 20; infectious diseases, 4; acute lung diseases, 8; croup membraneous, 2. Death rate for the week, 25.1, against 18.5 and 20.3 for the previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Typhoid fever 2; scarlet fever, 1; diphtheria, 9; membraneous croup, 6.

THE BRIBERY CASES.

The O'Connell and Donovan bribery cases are before the Supreme court in Cambridge today. Mr. O'Connell will argue his own case and Mr. Burke appears for the Donovans.

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DR. EVANS' CHIVALRY.

How He Assisted Ex-Empress Eugenie to Escape From Paris.

Naturally the most interesting part of the career of Dr. Evans was the share which he took in assisting the French ex-Empress Eugenie to escape from Paris. According to the story told by Dr. Evans while in Philadelphia in September last, the empress, accompanied by Mme. Le Breton, Prince Metternich and Signor Nigra, the Italian minister, attempted to escape by running down a private staircase leading to the palace gardens, but the mob was before her. Thereupon they turned back, traversed the gallery of the Louvre to the door leading to the Palace St. Germain Auxerois, opposite the church of that name, from which building a narrow passage led to the street. There they could hear the shouts of the mob, and, later, they plunged into the crowd. The empress was soon afterward recognized by a street urchin, but the lad's shout was not noticed, and the empress and Mme. Le Breton were thrust by their companions into a cab. They soon discovered that they had only 8 francs between them, probably not enough to pay the driver, and so, in order to avoid a scene and the possible capture of the empress, they alighted and walked on. Suddenly the empress realized that they were near the house of Dr. Evans, and they hurried to him for assistance. This was immediately forthcoming. Mrs. Evans was out of the city, and so the empress obtained her room, and clothing from her wardrobe was selected as a disguise. First the doctor tried to get a pass to leave Paris, but failed. Every exit was guarded by troops. Happily he found that one of his friends, also a patient, was in command of the troops at the bridge of Neuilly, and by some means he succeeded in informing the latter that he would like to pass over the bridge that night with two of his female patients. The empress was to play the part of a feeble woman who was being taken away to a sanitarium, while Mme. Le Breton was to personate her nurse.

When all the plans were completed, Dr. Evans, at dusk, placed the empress and Mme. Le Breton in his carriage and drove to the bridge. There it was stopped by the men on duty, but the nerve of the doctor stood him in good stead, and he succeeded in passing through the troops. Eventually they made their way to Derville, after two days of anxious traveling during which the fugitives were several times stopped and questioned. The doctor was ready for every emergency, and the empress passed on without being recognized. At Derville Dr. Evans went to Sir John Burgoyne, owner of the yacht Gazelle, and after with difficulty persuading him that he had the empress in his charge Eugenie was embarked on board the yacht and crossed the channel in a gale. Finally, on Thursday, Sept. 8, the empress met her son, the ill fated Prince Louis, at Brighton, England. Dr. Evans rented for them the house at Chislehurst, where the empress still lives, where Napoleon III died and where the body of the prince imperial is resting.—New York Tribune.

A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

Patriotic Women Lead a Movement to Establish Such an Institution.

The oft agitated question of establishing in the city of Washington a great national university on the lines suggested by President Washington at last has taken more definite form than in the past, and a number of representative American women have taken hold of the project with a determination to push it to a successful conclusion if possible. They have started out in a practical manner by seeking to raise the first $250,000 necessary for the erection of an administration building to form the nucleus of the university, and hope to be able to lay the cornerstone on Feb. 22, 1899. Their purpose in the meantime is to urge the matter continuously on the attention of women all over the country. They intend likewise to interest all the school children in the work.

Mrs. Allen A. Richardson of Boston, chief organizer of the movement, writing to George H. Harries of Washington of the plans thus far formed, said: "The patriotic women of America are to build the administration building, and they propose to make Feb. 22, 1898, the nation's first offering day for this purpose, asking no large contributions, begging nothing. America's 70,000,000 people must build this great monument. If the 13,000,000 children in the public schools in America would give an offering of a penny each on Washington's birthday, they would raise a sum sufficient to erect the building and endow it. Let us, then, join hands and have an American university, American sciences and American ideas for American citizens."—New York Tribune.

Attacked by Water Dogs.

Humphrey Sullivan of Lawrenceburg, Ind., a painter, fell into the water recently while fishing and was at once attacked by a large number of water dogs, which fastened their little sharp teeth in his clothing and were attempting to pull him under the water. His cries for help soon brought his companions to his rescue, and he was lifted from the water into the boat with nearly 20 of the water dogs hanging to him.

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THANKSGIVING TURKEYS.

We are making every effort to far out-do every previous attempt in the way of Thanksgiving display. Of course Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks, Geese and all kinds of Game will be provided in endless variety; but in addition, our vegetable department will contain every variety of ordinary vegetables obtainable in Boston, New York and other markets, and besides specialties seldom found except in our establishments. The same will be true of Fruit, and our Cheese department contains every kind of Cheese that the most fastidious epicure could wish.

Most readers of this "Ad." have seen a Thanksgiving display and experienced the rush at our establishment, and we need only say it is advisable to do your buying or ordering as early as possible, if possible, on TUESDAY. We close—as is our custom on holidays—1-2 day Thanksgiving, but open until midnight the day before and until ten Tuesday evening. We shall have half a dozen extra delivery teams and will afford everybody the most liberal treatment in the way of delivery.

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CONSUMPTION
To the Editor—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., No. 183 Pearl Street, New York.

CATHOLIC NOTES.

Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O.M.I., announces that $1200 was realized in the recent bazaar of St. Joseph's church.

Rev. Fr. Emard, O.M.I., has returned from Louisville, Ky.

Rev. Fr. Joyce, O.M.I., announced at the Immaculate Conception church yesterday that on collection Sundays seats will be free at that church

Active work is being done for the bazaars to be held by the Sacred Heart and St. Michael's parishes.

Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., celebrated high mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception yesterday. The sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Stanley, O.M.I., of Dublin, Ireland. His text referred to the general judgment and his sermon was quite forcible.

The new board of government of the Catholic Lyceum was installed yesterday. President Michael Donohoe installed the new president, James J. Brown, who installed the other officers.

A novena will be commenced at the Church of the Immaculate Conception November 29.

Next Wednesday evening the international kirmess will be held at Associate hall under the auspices of St. Patrick's parish.

DEMOCRATS, REGISTER MONDAY.

A FINE PRESENT.

A surprise party was given to Mrs. M. J. Moulton Saturday night at 91 First streets. About 100 attended. James N. Gookin made the presentation speech. The gift to Mrs. Moulton was a beautiful parlor set of five pieces. The prize winners at whist were Dan McKenna and Miss Katie Conway. There were piano solos by James N. Gookin, songs by Walter Hickey and Thomas McGinn; duet by Miss Birdie Topis and Miss Katie Conway; song by Major Wright.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, MONDAY, AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

FALLS ON AN ICY SIDEWALK.

Mrs. Nellie Sullivan fell on an icy sidewalk on West Third street Saturday evening. She escaped broken bones, but was so badly bruised and prostrated that the ambulance was called to take her to her home on Fulton street.

GEORGE DAVIES INJURED.

George Davies of Greenwood street fell down a flight of stairs Friday evening. On examination he was found to be suffering from two broken ribs and a bad scalp wound. He was also injured internally and it will be several weeks before he will be able to attend to his business.

Editor of the Lowell Sun:

Mr. Charles Callahan is a candidate for superintendent of streets. Mr. Callahan is well qualified for the position, having conducted a hardware store for many years, and also having been in the real estate business and that of a builder of houses, of which he owns many at the present time. He was also in the grocery business for a number of years and left it to enter the hardware trade. He has a general knowledge of city supplies that is rarely found in the ordinary business man and besides he is a man whose honesty is above question.

—Voter.

"The Mayor is simply a man between you and your pocket-books," says Col. Jim to the taxpayers.—Sunday Press.

Supt. Bray says that somebody told Willie Wilder that cold water would make steam if it was boiled and that is all Willie knows about steam heating.—Sunday Press.

REGISTRATION MONDAY FROM 1 TO 3, AND 7 TO 9 P. M.

Officer Peter T. Corcoran and two other officers had a short tussle with a bibulous prisoner on New Appleton street early Saturday evening. A large crowd gathered and some of them were of the class who sympathize with prisoners and abuse officers. They indulged in this and the "wind shutting" process had to be resorted to. He was taken to the police station.

A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER.

Officer Peter Cawley yesterday arrested William Wilson, a youngster charged with breaking and entering the mission on Billings street. Wilson, it is believed has been guilty of other breaks.

Supt. Fowler's men sprinkled sand on the principal streets Saturday night.

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CHRISTMAS SALE.

The W.C.T.U. gave a turkey dinner and supper at their rooms in Bridge street Saturday afternoon and night, and also held a Christmas sale. The sales tables were managed by the following ladies: Poundstable, Mrs. L. M. Dennis; flower table, Mrs. G. W. Korshaw; Christmas sale, Mrs. J. M. Wilson.

TALBOT MILLS HUSTLING.

Talbot's Mills of Billerica must be doing a great business when they work employes Saturday night and Sunday.

The Wood Sisters' big spectacular burlesque with Everett and Mack's Irish Comedy company open their engagement at Music Hall tonight. They appear in a double bill, presenting "A Trip to The Casino" and "The King of the Isle of Lowell."

Court Samuel de Champlain, A.O.F., will hold a festival December 30, for the benefit of a member who has been sick three years. The committee in charge of the festival is as follows: N. H. Roy, A. N. Boulais, J. B. Hurtubise, W. Boutilette, Arthur Lavoie, Edouard Dugbarme, George Baril J. R. Gelinas, Edouard Lambert, Telesphore Rainville and J. N. Cote.

We have another famous special bargain sale tomorrow, Tuesday, November 23. The goods are something out of our regular line, but are useful to every person who doesn't "sleep on the common." Anyone having a cosy room will appreciate this "great snap." The price is but 71 cents for Tuesday, while the regular price and real value is $1.25 each. We do this simply to break the "backbone" of Tuesday, which is the dullest day in the week. See our ad for further particulars. Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street.

ASLEEP FOR MANY YEARS.

Minnesota Farmer Has Wasted Away Under an Unconscious Slumber.

Near the city of St. Charles, Minn., resides a sleeping wonder in the person of Herman Harms, who has spent nearly every hour during the past 18 or 20 years in unconscious slumber. Mr. Harms has a family of adult children, and, although much money has been spent for the best of medical treatment and advice, no doctor has yet been found who has been able to break the spell under which the sleeper rests. He is given food by tender hands, but seems only partially aroused when being fed, and on being left alone at once again drops off to sleep. In fact, so hard is it to arouse him, a great part of his food has to be administered in liquid form.

When Harms first came west, nearly 20 years ago, he took up farming. Gradually the sleeping spell grew upon him until he was unable to attend to his farm. This summer for a few days the sleeper thoroughly awoke, and his family were in hopes his long slumber was at last broken. But the awakening was for a short time. A few days and Harms was again in sound sleep.

The pulse of the sleeper is regular, though stronger than that of the healthy adult. The pulse over the temple is strong and the head is hot, while the flesh is generally below the ordinary temperature. As he sleeps the eyelids blink, as if annoyed by the light. The usual position of the sleeper is on his left side, the left hand firmly against the brow. Harms is now 56 years old. When the first symptoms of his trouble made their appearance in 1875 the patient weighed 180 pounds. Now he does not weigh more than half of that—about 90 pounds.

Powerful electric batteries have been applied to the body, the only effect of which was to cause a slight contraction of the muscles of the body. The disease has been variously denominated as heart trouble, softening of the brain, Bright's disease of the kidneys, complication of troubles and the use of too much quinine.

Harms is fed about once in 24 hours—sometimes only once in 48 hours. In the partaking of food he is very frugal, refusing any dainties that sympathetic friends and neighbors may offer him, saying that a slice of buttered bread is enough for him.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

AN INTERESTING FAMILY.

Parents and Ten Children All Attend School and All Work.

Away out on the prairie of western Kansas there lives at the little town of Lincoln Center a family of father, mother and ten children, all of whom are attending school and all earning their bread by their labor.

Thomas M. Strange is 45 years old. He is an ordained minister of the Christian church and is attending Lincoln college for the purpose of obtaining a higher education for his work. Mrs. Strange is also attending the college, as are the two oldest children. They are all in the junior year. Each morning they go to the college and sit together in the recitation rooms, and they usually have their lessons well prepared. The remaining children go to school at Lincoln Center.

There is a romance connected with the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Strange. Tom Strange was a farmer, 21 years of age, and poor. He was the oldest of six boys. He fell in love with his cousin, Miss Sarah Bird, aged 15 years. The two decided to marry, but the laws of Kansas forbid marriage between first cousins. So they set off together in an ox cart from their home in central Kansas and went to Pleasant Hill, Mo. It was a long and weary journey. They were married there on Aug. 5, 1871, and returned home in the ox cart. From that time on Tom Strange worked the harder and in spare moments studied with the intention of entering the ministry. He was licensed to preach in 1880 and ordained in 1883. Mrs. Strange also studied for the ministry and has been ordained. She seldom misses an appointment by her husband and in many ways lends him valuable assistance.

To this couple have been born 15 children. Ten are living and are with their parents. The youngest is a girl of 8 years, the oldest a son of 21. While Mr. Strange and the boys are planting, cultivating and harvesting the products from the ten acre patch about their home Mrs. Strange and the girls take in sewing and washing, and thus do their share toward supporting the family. Each member of the family has a particular work to do, and it is always done promptly and well.—New York Sun.

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THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

Captain McKee Favors Keeping Them In a Territorial Condition For Thirty Years.

Captain Thomas H. McKee of Indiana, journal clerk of the house and ex-secretary of the Republican congressional committee, presented some rather novel views recently on the question of Hawaiian annexation. He said:

"I favor the policy of annexing the Hawaiian Islands, in addition to the ordinary reason of naval defense and protection of our Pacific seaboard, because I am so good a friend to the negroes of America that I would want some place like Hawaii, with its pleasant climate and fruitful soil, set apart for the experiment of a self sustaining community made up of our colored fellow citizens where they would have the advantage of starting out with the civilization they have acquired as a race in America and where they could work out for themselves the problem of existence without leaning too much on the white people.

"I would not admit Hawaii into the Union as a state immediately. Indeed a stipulation that it should remain in a territorial condition for, say, not less than 30 years should be inserted in the treaty of annexation or joint resolution as adopted by congress. It is true that would not bind any subsequent congress desiring to undo the provision. As a matter of fact, as I remember, not one of the stipulations inserted in the treaty of acquisition of Louisiana was ever repealed. Such provisions of safeguard would not be repealed. The islands will not be ready for statehood for many years to come."

Captain McKee says he is absolutely sure that the Hawaiian Islands will be annexed at the approaching session of congress. He says further, "I would like to see an extension of the policy to the West India islands, the purchase of the Danish possessions there, and also of a slice of northern Mexico if she would part with it."—New York Tribune.

HIS SILENT HEROISM.

Bishop Doane's Story of the Late Erastus Corning's Business Career.

When Erastus Corning died in Albany a short time ago a reputed millionaire and connected with many large institutions, newspaper articles appeared asserting that his money had been squandered and that $18,000,000 left him by his father had disappeared. From the pulpit of All Saints' cathedral recently Bishop Doane, mentioning Mr. Corning's many gifts to the church, denied these stories and put the matter in a new light. According to the bishop, the elder Corning left little unencumbered property for the son. The bishop said:

"Little as people understand it, he was a richer man before his father's death than when he came by inheritance into the possession of a large property, which was seriously embarrassed and encumbered. When he came back from Europe, he found himself confronted with a problem which the average business man would have met by simply letting mortgages be foreclosed and debts paid by whatever amount of money he could realize from the sale. But his love for his father and his reverence for his good name and memory led him at this time to take a position which, to say the least, was romantic, and in a way, I think, heroic. And the later embarrassment of his fortune was due neither to carelessness nor to lavish expenditures of money, but to the sentiment of maintaining the institution which had borne his father's name and was so identified with his father's life and work.

"I am quite sure that those of us who were, as I was, intimately associated with him at that time and during the years of anxiety that followed it will realize and recognize a rare element of high and chivalrous motive which, however unwise it may seem to have been in the merely mercantile mind of today, places him among the honorable and high minded business men of America."—New York Tribune.

ADVANTAGES OF FOOTBALL.

Rev. Mr. Cameron Said It Preached an Eloquent Sermon.

The Rev. Charles J. Cameron preached in the Fourth Presbyterian church, Cambridge, Mass., recently on "Athletics and Christianity." He said in part:

"There is a loud cry today in some quarters as to the brutality of football and other sports. As an old football player I will say that there is no brutality about football. Mark three things in regard to that game: First, for months the eyes of these men were fixed on a definite goal. Second, to the reaching of that goal they have bent every energy of mind and body. If for no other reason than this alone, football and other athletic games are invaluable. Third, to reach that goal, with a wisdom which the wisest on earth cannot do better than imitate, they have been 'temperate in all things,' they have undergone the severest training, they have submitted to all manner of restrictions in food and manner of life, and in the end they have come on the field as nearly perfect men physically as they can be made, and that means mentally and morally sound also. The steps by which men rise to supreme moral and spiritual power are identical with those by which physical supremacy is reached, and to him who has eyes to see there is no more eloquent sermon than he reads on a football field."—New York Sun.

TO FEED THE POOR.

Kansas Farmers Will Spend Thanksgiving Killing Jack Rabbits to Be Sent East.

Thanksgiving in western Kansas will be observed this year in a practical way. That entire country is swarming with jack rabbits, and farmers, to protect their young orchards, are anxious to get rid of them. Several counties offer a bounty of 3 cents a scalp on all that are killed. Governor Leedy's Thanksgiving proclamation suggested a way out, and recently he was informed that the people in several of the jack rabbit counties would devote the day to killing these pests, load them into the cars and ship them to the poor of Chicago and New York. Jack rabbit potpie is good eating, and in this way, west Kansans say, they can render a valuable service to their section and at the same time supply many poor, hungry children in the big cities with strength giving food.—New York Sun.

Alaska Thanksgiving Proclamation.

Governor Brady in his Thanksgiving proclamation says:

"On account of the wonderful discoveries of gold upon the Klondike we have been brought prominently before the public, and many who have decried Alaska as good for nothing are now admitting that it has wonderful possibilities. For this turn in the tide of opinion let us give thanks. While the cattle upon the hills are the Almighty's, the gold, copper and coal in the mountains and the fish in the sea are his also."

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

BIG COLONIZATION PLAN.

A Foreign Syndicate Expects to Send One Million Europeans to Mexico.

A syndicate composed of some of the wealthiest men in the old world has been organized to colonize Mexico. Vast concessions have been given to the syndicate, which also assumes a large block of the public debt, as explained in the government organ, El Mundo, which says that the contract has been signed between Limantour, secretary of finance, and an English company.

It is stated that this syndicate undertakes to place in various portions of Mexico within the next 25 years a round million of European colonists. The details given are incomplete and rather mystifying, but they are believed, as the article appears in the government organ. The company which has the transaction in hand was organized in England. One of the Rothschilds is active president. It guarantees to take over the public debt—which debt El Mundo does not state, but presumably some of the later issues, amounting to about $110,000,000—and as a guarantee of good faith will deposit $1,000,000 with the London bank of the City of Mexico. The government, on its part, agrees to turn over 33⅓ per cent of all receipts to the foreign syndicate. It also agrees to pay $100 for each family located as colonists and to withdraw all the public lands from the market, giving the new syndicate the exclusive use of the government lands for colonization.

The government also agrees to defray 35 per cent of the cost of any public buildings erected in any of the colonies, the plans of the same having previously been approved by the government. Mr. Tesnos, who represents the syndicate in this capital, started recently for London with full details of the contract to be submitted to his principals.

A syndicate of English capitalists, headed by William L. Malcomson, a veteran Ceylon coffee planter, has been organized to engage in coffee culture on a most extensive scale in Mexico. It intends to purchase 100,000 acres of land in the best coffee district in Mexico and plant all of it to coffee trees. Mr. Malcomson and other members of the syndicate have arrived at the City of Mexico from London to carry out the plans of the big investment.

LITTLE FELLOW KNEW.

Who Beside Saul of Old Walked With God In America.

An amusing incident occurred at the Presbyterian church in Rochelle, Ills., recently, at which time Rev. H. S. Crouse, the pastor, preached a special sermon to the children of the Sabbath school. His discourse was based upon the passages in the good book in which is related the incident of Saul "walking with God," and the reverend gentleman became very earnest in the presentation of his story. At the conclusion of his discourse he stepped to the front of the rostrum and said:

"Now, children, I have been telling you of how Saul walked with God on the earth. Can any of you tell me of any one who has walked with God in America?"

"I can!" shouted a little fellow in the front row, at the same time holding up his hand in order that he might be seen.

"Well, my little man," said Rev. Crouse, "just speak right out and tell the people who in America ever walked with God."

"McKinley!" shouted the little fellow, and it "brought down the house," while the preacher joined in the laugh that followed.

And we are not certain but the little fellow was right.—Rochelle (Ills.) Register.

HORSE CAUGHT BY TREES.

Wandering Nag, With a Buggy, That Nearly Starved to Death.

A few days ago a valuable horse belonging to Levi Hoover, who lives near Hagerstown, Ind., either broke loose or was turned loose from the hitching post in front of his house. This occurred about 11 o'clock at night. The horse was hitched to a buggy and was supposed to have been stolen and taken out of the county. Mr. Hoover advertised in vain.

After he had abandoned all hope of ever recovering his property, the horse was found one morning standing at the gate. Part of the torn harness was hanging to it and a broken shaft was attached. The horse, which was fat and sleek when it disappeared, was very much reduced in weight and apparently very weak. After a long search the buggy was found within a half mile of Mr. Hoover's house, in a thick woods wedged in between the trees. The appearance of the ground indicated that the horse had struggled violently to free himself from the buggy, but had only succeeded in doing so after several days.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Marconi's Transmitter.

Although Marconi has found it practicable to telegraph without wires through walls of solid masonry, he finds hills and mountains too formidable obstacles. He proposes to overcome such difficulties by mounting his transmitter on or suspending it from a pole, balloon or kite. The last mentioned device would be composed chiefly of very thin copper, and a wire would run from its tail down to the transmitting apparatus.—New York Tribune.

The Weather Prophets.

Fellers prophesyin snow—
Western blizzards too.
(Course these fellers allus know
What the Lord'll do!)
When they tell me I'll be froze,
Then I hunt my summer clozes!

'Long in spring they took an said
All the signs wuz plain,
By the queer skies overhead—
Forty days o' rain!
But we had—for all our fears—
Driest weather in ten years!

Then, in summer, we'd be dry—
Not a drop 'ud fall—
But the rain come from the sky
Like 'twould drown us all!
An some weak, believin fellers
Didn't have no rain umbrellars!

Allus sittin on the fence,
Tellin us God's will!
Rather trust in Providence
An take my chances still!
When they tell me I'll be froze,
Watch me hunt my summer clozes!

—P. L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

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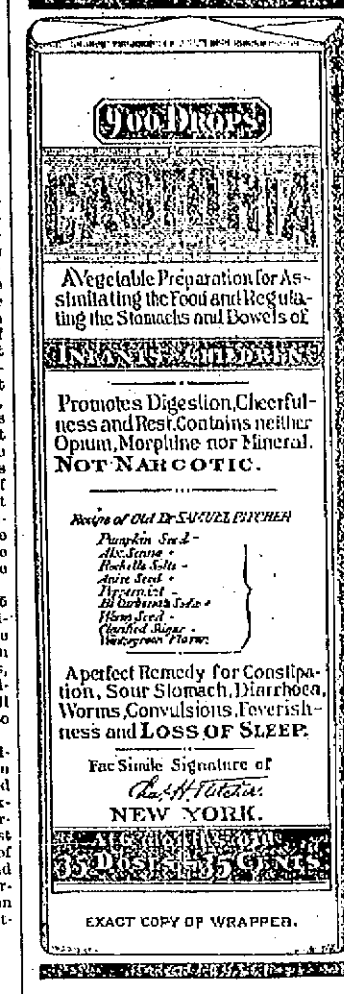

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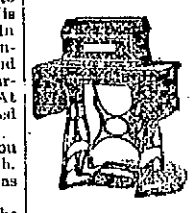

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J. DRAIN'S, 111 Gorham Street

For a few weeks and you will save more money than will buy you a ticket.

Below is a few of the many bargains for this week in Millinery, as well as in everything else. We have cut the price more than half, that means some great bargains for our trade, as it is a well known fact that we sell goods at lower prices for good, clean, staple goods than any house in Lowell, not excepting any.

Children's Cloaks and Bonnets at about half what others ask. Flowers, Feathers and Ribbons at ridiculous low prices.

$5.00 Feathers for $2.25; $3.00 Feathers, $1.25; $2.50 Feathers for 75c.; $1.50 for 60c.

Untrimmed shapes now marked down at ½ regular price. 1 lot Walking Hats 19c.; 50 doz. Ladies' and Misses' sailor Hats, worth $1.00, for this sale 25c. Don't forget this if you want a Hat.

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Men's, Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Gloves and Mittens, all grades, at prices to suit.

8c. heavy Checks for Aprons now 5c.; 18c. Gingham Aprons now 9c.; 25c. Fast Black Aprons now 12c.; 1500 Spool Cotton for 10c.; Machine Thread, 3 spools for 5c.; 25c. Tooth Powder for 10c.; 25c. Egg White Soap for 10c.

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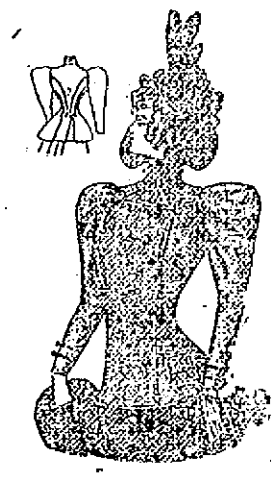

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In order to reduce our enormous stock which at the present time is by far too large.

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$3 Beaver Jackets, reduced price $2.49.

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$15.00 Caterpillar Boucle Jacket, reduced price $9.50.

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Beaver Cape, neatly braided, reduced price $3.75.

30-inch Boucle Cape, full sweep, edged with Thibet, regular price $8.50, reduced price $4.95.

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The Banker, the Farmer, the Mechanic and Railroad men all meet here and find just what they want.

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The parents of Joe Kelley, the Somersworth murderer, have decided to publish his writings in book form. This is the first thing that has yet appeared to persuade us that the Kelley family is mentally weak.

Editor Cook of the Milford Journal is making a great fight for the presidency of the state senate. He has the reputation of being a man of ability and we have no doubt he will fill the position with entire satisfaction to his party.

The great fire in London was not like that which occurred in Boston 25 years ago. It destroyed some of the leading business blocks of the city, while the Boston fire ate up some of the worst old rookeries in the city, and notwithstanding the loss at the time, proved an ultimate benefit.

J. R. Sovereign will soon find out that the sovereign citizenship of the republic frowns upon his presidential ambition.—Manchester Union.

Yes, when the toiling masses will refuse to be gulled by his sovereign stupidity, despite the fact that he becomes the paid tool of Hanna and other republican boodlers.

Democrats interested in the municipal election should canvass among their acquaintances for citizens eligible for registration during the next few days. The time is getting very short and thus far it seems that the number registered is not as large as was expected. Upon the registration largely depends success at the polls. Registration will close next Wednesday evening.

The government of India has said "No" on the bimetallic question. That decision has been dictated by English influence. The people of India are suffering at present from the evil effects of the gold standard and if alive to their own interests they would restore bimetallism and the free coinage of silver if they could, but they can't, whether they want it or not, while under England's sway.

The city of Lynn is becoming a byword owing to the number of hold ups and the depredations committed there by the burglars and highwaymen. The city stands disgraced before New England on account of the crimes committed there within the past six months by tramps, vagrants, and highwaymen. If there was a good police force in Lynn nothing of the kind would take place. It is because such outrages can be committed with impunity that they occur so often. Let the police but exercise proper vigilance arrest all suspicious characters, and these hold ups and highway robberies will soon be stopped.

Here is a portion of James Donghue's address, in accepting the nomination for the mayoralty of Lawrence:

"I promise tonight, if your choice be ratified by the people in December, and if when I meet you again, it will be as mayor-elect of my native city, that I renew the pledge that every aim and every act will be for the good and the interest and well-being of Lawrence and that I will strive with every effort to return to you the trust you give to me, unstained by dishonor and unsullied by any wrong."

His speech was a rouser and created great enthusiasm among the democrats who heard it. There is every prospect that Mr. Donoghue will be the next mayor of the down river city.

Would it be impertinent to ask by what authority have the public schools been turned into an advertising bureau for the Morning Mail. The Mail seems to have the privilege of going into the public schools, furnishing the teachers with strips to be given out to the pupils, advertising a mere game of chance, which is conducted by the teachers in behalf of the Mail and in which the prize offered is some sort of a book. We have often heard that the teachers of the public schools as well as the pupils are over-worked. What claim has the Mail on any portion of their time so that it is allowed to enter and impose additional labor? The matter is one well worth investigation, inasmuch as it is or should be a violation of the rules.

The chances are that the theatrical billboards that disfigure the highways and the landscape will sooner or later follow the theatrical lithographs into inocuous desuetude. They are about as unprofitable a method of advertising theatrical attractions as are the pictures of famous artists in the windows.—Fall River Globe.

In regard to the subject it might be stated that Lowell is a much abused city from the number of large theatrical bill boards erected in all directions, even upon the tops of buildings and in every conspicuous place to catch the public eye. In the first place these bill boards are very dangerous when placed overhead on the tops of buildings and where they are exposed to wind and storm. Many of them have blown down some with serious results. Upon these bill boards are emblazoned sometimes very objectionable posters, so that altogether there is good reason for some restriction both in regard to the erection of these boards and as to the matter posted upon them.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Lawrence Register—"Do wages rise with wheat, or is it merely our hopes which rise?" asks the Providence Visitor. Probably the latter.

Concord Monitor—With the problems of the bankruptcy bill, pooling, anti-scalping, changes in the interstate commerce law, the census of 1900, postal affairs, postal savings banks, immigration, pilotage, free alcohol, coast defenses, the Central Pacific and the Mississippi river up for settlement, the next session of Congress ought to get a This-is-My-Busy-Day sign ready to hang out.

Chicago Chronicle—Municipal ownership of street railway properties is making such strides in Great Britain that it seems only a question of time when ownership by private corporations will be a thing of the past. In Blackpool, Huddersfield, Hull, Leeds, Plymouth, Sheffield, and Glasgow, all the street car lines are operated by the city authorities. In thirty other cities, including Birmingham, Liverpool Manchester, Edinburgh, and London, the municipalities own or operate a part of the lines within the limits. In Cardiff and Southampton the change to municipal ownership will probably be completed before the end of the present year. In various other cities the street railway tracks belong to the municipality and are leased for so much per mile, with a percentage on gross earnings.

Manchester Union—The administration will need to exercise caution lest Senator Morgan and some of his associates will have the Hawaiian annexation completed before Congress gets in session. Senator Chandler claims that the Senate is practically a unit for the treaty.

Waterbury American—The Springfield Republican informs Senator Hanna that he has already suffered moral defeat and, therefore, should retire. We do not think Mr. Hanna cares much about moral defeat if he can secure votes enough to be re-elected. The morals of politics are not Mr. Hanna's weak spot.

New York Post—If the republican party is to depend on the Dingley tariff for an issue next year and three years hence, its fate in those elections is already sealed.

Indianapolis News—The failure of Philadelphia to run her gas plant at a profit is not an argument against municipal control so much as it is a condemnation of the spoils system of running things.

Fall River Globe—A Boston man makes the statement that the first duty of a street railway is to its stockholders. This doesn't coincide with what the attorneys and other official representatives of such companies are in the habit of saying when asking for franchises and other privileges from the public. The invariable statement made at such times is that the primary object of roads is to accommodate their patrons and consult their comfort, the dear people. It is very unkind in the man in question to disabuse the latter of that cherished idea.

Salem News—There are intimations of strikes to follow the wholesale cut-downs in wages which the shoe manufacturers of Haverhill have instituted The wage earners in the shoe towns can be expected to subsist on nothing. For the past four years they have hardly been treading a rosy path, any more than workers in other circles. Shoes cost as much today as in the past, and in a few lines they are considerably higher. Cut-down has followed cut-down in wages, but the consumer still pays the same old price. Meanwhile, the prices of the necessaries of life are materially higher, while steadier employment is yet the boon for which thousands upon thousand of wage earners are anxiously looking Ignoring the croakers, who are never satisfied, and the prosperity howlers, who are as much of a nuisance and a draw-back in their way as the calamity shouters, the fact remains that present conditions are not of that nature which carries satisfaction.

Washington Post, Ind.—Sir Wilfred Laurier, premier of Canada, has left for home. His mission to Washington ended in a failure. None of the ends desired by either Canada or the United States were realized. It now appears, indeed, that none of them was at any time within reach. The differences between the two governments were irreconcilable. The unfortunate conditions with which we are now confronted were inevitable from the outset.

Louisville Courier-Journal—The editor of the Courier-Journal returns his thanks, along with his most respectful homage, to those of his esteemed contemporaries who have done him the honor to consider him in conection with the result of the recent elections. Whether their comments were of compliment or of compassion, he is alike beholden to them. He frankly confesses that being too badly hurt to laugh, yet too brave to cry, he was in some perplexity what was best to do. Whether to take to the woods or jump into the river and holler fire, or to crawl into some hole and draw the hole in after him, or to go a-fishing, or what not. But their words of sympathy, penetrating the dark recesses of the cloisters whither he has betaken himself, and where in future he will make his abode come like the song of birds to souls in purgatory. They confirm his philosophy. They cheer his exile. They indicate to him that there may be yet a drop or two in the bottom of the glass, perhaps a grain of sugar. Human nature is not so bad after all.

Lowell Citizen—Joseph H. Choate, as Attorney General McKenna's successor, if the latter goes on the supreme bench is suggested, but the suggestion is not likely to be realized. No New Yorker stands much show to be taken into the cabinet at this stage.

SCROFULA in its worst form yields to the blood cleansing power of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands of cases have been perfectly CURED.

THE ARENA OF POLITICS

WHAT CONGRESS WILL DO.

Pipes Have Already Been Laid to Retire the Greenbacks.

The approaching session of congress will, when it gets settled down to business, find itself confronted with some very grave problems. It is a Republican congress, and therefore must of necessity have some means of raising the wind. For long years the Union Pacific was a rich field and yielded handsome crops to the congressional speculators, but the retirement of the government from all connection with that road no longer permits congressmen to hold it up. Thus it is that the first thing to be considered by the Republican congress is a way to realize on Republican votes.

The question of retiring the greenbacks is one of the problems. Men who control the Republican party no longer strive to conceal their purpose to retire the greenbacks and give into the hands of the banks the power to expand or contract the currency at their own sweet will. That this will be done seems certain, though there are Republican congressmen who have not yet reached that supreme height of Republicanism which deems regard for the people's rights a bit of childish fancy that should not be tolerated by grown men.

The pipes have been laid for the retirement of the greenbacks, and the men who will profit thereby are well supplied with weapons to beat the hesitating Republicans into line. The only hope left to the people is that they may be able to stave off this nefarious scheme until the congressional elections of 1898, but when one considers the make up of the Republican majority in congress the hope is a very faint one. The best that can be said is that such a condition of things cannot last long. The congressional elections of 1898 will certainly rebuke the absurd idea that the government should not exercise the function of supplying the money needed in the transaction of business.

But the next session will be a lively one. The minority will make it decidedly interesting for the representatives of the money power who appear on the rolls as Republicans.—Omaha World-Herald.

A SIGNIFICANT VICTORY.

Defeat of New York Republicans of Far-reaching Import.

The most important and significant Democratic victory in some years is that which the party has won in Greater New York against odds that seemed to be almost overwhelming, says the Atlanta Constitution. The full significance of this victory may be realized when we remember that it has been won in the largest city on the continent, the most important trade and financial center and the stronghold of the money power with its gold syndicates and powerful financial associations.

Not less significant is the result in the state of New York, which the Democrats have carried, reversing a Republican plurality of 260,000.

When these facts are taken into consideration, the effect of the election of the state and city tickets will be to stimulate and strengthen the Democratic party from one end of the country to the other and fan the hopes of the organization into a flame of enthusiasm. Not since the election of Cleveland in 1884 has there been a more significant Democratic victory.

The stimulating effect it will have on the party at large in all parts of the country can hardly be overestimated. It is a message of hope and enthusiasm sent from the headquarters of the money power that the people are still true to Democratic principles; that in New York, the chief city of the republic, the second largest city in the civilized world and the great money center of the country, the honest masses are still true to themselves and to the party that stands for popular government, as opposed to government by and for syndicates, trusts and monopolies.

It is a victory to celebrate, for its effect on the country will be of the most tremendous import.

A PITIFUL PRESIDENT.

McKinley Employs His High Office to Pay Political Debts.

The spectacle of a president of the United States using all the power possible to his high office in the effort to influence the result of a political campaign in one of those states was not grateful to the American people.

The spectacle of a president of the United States dominated by a grossly material mind and submitting himself as a puppet to political machinations intended to bring about the promotion of a man whose controlling idea of American politics is that "money talks" humiliated the honest and self respecting masses of this country.

The voters of Ohio made a brave effort to rebuke Mr. McKinley's pitiful lowering of the dignity that attaches to the presidential office in his madness of desire to make a United States senator—by popular suffrage—of the slush fund syndicate organizer who made him president. This is the plain meaning of their revolt against Hanna. It is to be hoped that they have succeeded in defeating for the senate the most menacing figure yet known in American politics. But even if they have not done this they have voiced a shamed and indignant protest against Hannaism, the threat of which may not be wisely disregarded in future.

If Mark Hanna goes to the senate, he goes as the representative of the trusts. He has placed McKinley in the White House as a president for the trusts, and McKinley has given proof of his loyalty to the trust influence that elected him. But the plain people of these United States are not yet wholly delivered to this malign force in our latter day politics, and the Ohio protest is but the beginning of their revolt against Republicanism as represented by the Hanna-McKinley syndicate.—St. Louis Republic.

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A BIG HOAX

IS THIS STORY OF A $25,000 FORTUNE.

The following despatch from Oakland, Cal., concerns a former resident of this city, who had an acquaintance with many of the residents of the city:

"A. W. Newton, or as he sometimes calls himself, Newton Parkhurst, who was arrested Sunday for attempting to burn down the depot at the end of the mole, was yesterday examined by Drs. Akerly and Nevins as to his sanity and was committed to Stockton asylum.

"Last February Newton was found living in a shackle near California college, in East Oakland. He was existing on nearly nothing and was in a pitiful condition. He was taken to the county infirmary.

"While at the hospital a letter was received by Dr. Clarke of the infirmary staff from A. H. Atkinson of No. 2 Arthur street, Lowell, Mass., in which information was sought in reference to Newton. A list of questions was inclosed, which if answered correctly by Newton, would prove him to be the heir of an estate valued at $25,000 in Lowell.

"Newton, who says he is 75 years old, was too rambling in his replies to this list of questions, but his answers were sufficient to suggest the probability that he was the man whom Atkinson wanted. On October 29th, Newton wandered from the infirmary and claims to have had nothing to eat up to the time he was taken to the receiving hospital."

Mr. Atkinson mentioned in the despatch lives at the residence given above. The letter referred to was sent all right, but no mention of a fortune of $25,000 was made. That portion of the despatch was manufactured in California. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson used to know the old man in question, whose right name is E. Newton Parkhurst. He used to live here and had a farm in an adjoining town once, but he got tired of it and swapend it for a house. He afterwards worked for some time in a sash and blind manufactory but he got rather too old to work much. About seven or eight years ago he took a notion to go to California and the Atkinsons had not heard from him since, until some one sent them word that Parkhurst was in an asylum.

ALBIONS BEATEN

BY THE ANDOVERS OF LAWRENCE.

The Albions of this city were defeated by the Andovers of Lawrence on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon.

The Lowell team was weak at goal, losing two goals on bad plays in the first half.

The Andover team was well balanced as the score of 6 to 2 shows.

During the second half Broadbent of Lowell was kicked in the head and had to retire from the field. The line-up follows: Albions—Jesse Whitworth, goal; Casey and Finlan, full backs; Dunlavey, Broadbent and Bailey, half-backs; J. Aspen, Flynn, Nelson, Whitworth and Waterhouse, forwards.

Andovers—Allen, goal; Anderson and Sefton, full backs; Fife, D. Rennie, Manchester and Stewart, half-backs; Hill, Patten, S. Rennie and Bailey, forwards.

Referee, J. Anderson of Andover.

Time—Two 30-minute halves. Score, 6 to 2.

BASKET BALL.

One of the hottest and best all around games of basket ball seen in Lowell for many moons was played in the Y.M.C.A. gym. Saturday night, between the regular team and a picked team. The regulars were the victors by a score of 3 to 1. The men throwing goals were Lindsay, 2, and Goodchild for the regulars, and Coulter for the picked team. The line-up:

REGULARS.		PICKED TEAM.
McFarland, l. f.		l. f., Williston
Goodchild, r. f.		r. f., Coulter
Ferris, c.		c., Tulley
Muzzey, r. b.		r. b., Wilson
Lindsey, l. b.		l. b., Keirsted

Time—Two 20-minute halves. Umpire—F. Shaw. Timer—W. J. Startz.

A POOL GAME.

The scientific game of pool has more devotees about Liberty Square than in any other place in Lowell and many and clever are the games played in that vicinity. Since Ed Brady took up the management of Cawley's saloon at the corner of Fletcher and Worthen streets the cranks have flocked to the pool room there. On Tuesday night a match game will be played between Billy Bowers and Ed McAndrews for a 20-pound turkey and the championship of the square.

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REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 1897.

11—Catherine Curry, 97, heart disease.
Phoebe C. Bates, 83, old age.
12—William E. Howe, 76, general debility.
Mary A. Moran, 21, pulm. phthisis.
Antoinette Lussier, 6, pericarditis.
13—Edward McGirr, 51, pulm. tuberculosis.
Joseph Marshall, 2, membraneous croup.
Marie A. Frechet, 1, croup.
Joseph O. Plomodon, 10 mos., pneumonia.
14—Charles Marshall, 71, apoplexy.
Edward H. C. Plimpton, 60, tuberculosis phthisis.
Anna Nelson, 30, tuberculosis.
John H. Latham, 1 day, inanition.
15—Patrick J. Black, 73, endocarditis.
Annie T. Joyce, 19, enteritis.
Gertrude T. McLaughlin, 15, peritonitis.
Edward Faille, 3, diphtheria.
Antoinette Denis, 1, pneumonia.
Frank J. Sawyer, 1, diphtheria.
Joseph A. Cote, 17 days, debility.
16—George Lupton, 65, cirrhosis of liver.
Hanora Burke, 57, pneumonia.
Edward R. Tweed, 16, disease of heart.
Margaret McCaffrey, 2, pneumonia.
——— McMahon, 2d., prem. birth
17—Patrick Corcoran, 55, concussion of brain.
John L. Greenwood, 47, cerebral hemorrhage.
Mary O'Connor, 33, peritonitis.
Rose B. Lamothe, 8 mos., bronchitis
Carl F. Scott, 7 mos., convulsions.
Marie B. Beauregard, 10 mos., accidental scalding.
Ethel Roche, 1 mo., enteritis.
Francis J. Farley, 21, phthisis.
Marion Warren, 1, bronchitis.
John Raymond, 1 day, prem. birth.
19—Henry C. Church, 84, la grippe.
Margaret Kennedy, 67, bronchitis.
Herbert Dobbs, 1 mo., pneumonia.
Harry Flanagan, 20 days, inanition
Jane Sanders, 1 day., prem. birth.
Eliza Sanders, 1 day, prem. birth.

—Girard P. Dadman,
City Clerk.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

There was a pleasant entertainment at the Unitarian church vestry Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Lend a Hand society. A graphaphone entertainment of music and songs was held under the direction of Mrs. Harry Palmer. The candy table was in charge of Miss Hylan and Mrs. W. H. Palmer. It was an emergency table.

Miss Ranlett, assisted by the Ready Ten, had charge of the cake table, and Miss Belle Faulkner presided over a fruit table.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

HARD TO COMBAT.

The Evidence of Our Senses, What Lowell People Say is Pretty Good Proof for Lowell.

When we see it ourselves.
When our own ears hear it.
When our neighbors tell it.
Our friends endorse it.
No better evidence can be had.
It's not what people say in Maine.
Or distant mutterings from California.
No deceiving echoes here.
Lowell talk for Lowell people.
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There is no proof like home proof.
Home testimony at the back of every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.
Can you believe your neighbors?
Read this statement made by a citizen:

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"I was told that my trouble was kidney complaint. I had a dreadful backache, a soreness over my loins. Then I was troubled with headaches and dizziness. It was painful to bend over; my back ached nights and prevented my sleeping. When I was about my work I wanted to sit down, for that tired feeling hung over me all the time. I had these symptoms for about a year and a half before I got those Doan's Kidney Pills at Ellingwood & Co.'s, corner of Central and Merrimack streets. They began to help me from the first. I continued taking them till I felt that there were no pains or aches left. They are a splendid thing for backache. My little girl's kidneys were always weak. The secretions annoyed her every little while and it became most embarrassing to the child. It struck me that Doan's Kidney Pills might be good for her and I gave them to her. Now she is perfectly cured. I did not have to give her many. I think there is nothing like Doan's Kidney Pills. You can use my name in endorsing them."

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For the Benefit of the
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Royal Hungarian Gypsy Band
Fancy Dancing by Miss Devol.
Seats reserved at tables, at which light refreshments and temperance drinks will be served, 25 cents extra. On sale at C. W. Durant's, corner Central and Middle streets.
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Under the direction of Miss Mary Selden McGabb. General Dancing. Music by Amer'can Orchestra.
Tickets, Either Evening, 50c.
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PURE—WHITE—FLOATING.
Nothing enters into the manufacture of Fairy Soap but the purest and best materials known to the soapmaker's art and that money can buy.
The Soap of the Century
Sold everywhere in one quality and three convenient sizes, for the toilet, bath and laundry.
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Are so numerous and powerful that it would not be doing justice to yourself and family should you disregard our invitation to investigate and share in the benefits we offer.

Special Offerings For Thanksgiving Week.

All our $12.98 Boucle Cloth Capes, now $9.98.
All our $7.98 Plain Cloth Capes, now $5.98.
All our $4.98 Fur Trimmed Cloth Capes, now $2.98.

A Wonderful Value Distribution.

Woolen Plaid Waists that sold for $2.75 and $5.00, now $1.98 and $3.98.

Just opened, a new line of Ladies Trimmed Hats, $4.98, $5.98, $6.98.

Men's elegant Beaver, Melton and Kersey Overcoats, $10.75 to $25.

Men's fine Business Suits, strictly All Wool, $8.75 to $22.

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Saturday's Bargain Prices That Brought the Crowd, Repeated Today.

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Soon to occur, consequently the Blankets and Beddings, with which our stock room is loaded must be reduced. Therefore, this week we will quote unprecedented prices on these goods—

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Table Linens, Towels, Doylies, Crashes, Napkins, etc, bought from the closing out sale of the Bradford, Thomas & Co.'s stock at from 25 to 50 per cent. less than regular prices, enables every housekeeper in Lowell to procure

Phenomenal Bargains in Thanksgiving Linens, Crockery, Glass Ware, Silverware, Kitchen Ware, Etc.,

on sale this week at specially reduced prices for Thanksgiving trade.

Buy Your Tea and Coffee for Thanksgiving Day

in our Tea and Coffee Department. Sample cups served daily by demonstrator in charge of department and special inducements to purchasers this week.

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE Co.

SAD TRAGEDIES OF A DAY

A Wedding Broken up by Murderer Disappointed in Love.

Peacemaker in a Boston Quarrel Shot—Two Children Murdered—Several Deaths by Fire—Other Fatalities.

New York, Nov. 22.—While the wedding feast at the marriage of Isaac Goldstein to Kate Silverstein was in progress last night in a flat house, Charles Schapire appeared at the festivities armed with a revolver. He shot a man named Louis Lieberman in the abdomen, inflicting a fatal wound. The young man was arrested. Lieberman died from the wound shortly before midnight.

The feast was being held in the rooms of a Miss Gordon, who says that Schapire wanted her to marry him, and because she refused he resolved to break up the feast.

THE PEACEMAKER WAS SHOT.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Antone Solmanie, 27 years old, attempted the role of peacemaker last night between two fellow countrymen, but only received a bullet in the abdomen for his pains, and little hope is held out for his recovery from the wound. The man who fired the shot is probably still at large, although a man somewhat answering his description was arrested in Chelsea late last evening, but has not yet been identified.

The shooting took place in a house on South Margin street occupied by Bernard Pitchon. Solmanie was visiting Pitchon and while there Vincent Acquaro appeared and soon became involved in a dispute with Pitchon. The two men grew warm over the subject of the dispute, which is said to have been Pitchon's wife, and before long they were exchanging blows, although with nothing more than their fists. Solmanie, however, thought that more serious weapons might be used, so he rushed between the two. This seemed to intensify the anger of both the men, but Acquaro more especially. He pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired one shot at Solmanie, who fell to the floor, while the blood poured from an ugly wound in the abdomen.

A few moments later the police were on the scene and, after sending the wounded man to the hospital, began a search for Acquaro. No trace, however, could be found of Solmanie's assailant, although all the out of town police stations were notified of the affair. About 11 o'clock, however, word was received from Chelsea that a man apparently answering Acquaro's description had been arrested on an electric car bound through the city from Boston to Lynn.

TWO CHILDREN MURDERED.

Oconomowoc, Wis., Nov. 22.—Willie Cornell, aged six, and Lillie, aged four, were found dead at their home here, with their throats cut; and Ernest Cornell, their father, was lying on the floor with a gash across his throat, extending from ear to ear. Cornell, after his throat was sewed up, said that one Lewis, who had boarded with the family, induced him to drink whisky. He soon lost consciousness and knew nothing more until he was awakened by the clock striking. Cornell stated that his wife and Lewis were together much of the time. The general opinion is that Cornell killed the children and afterwards attempted to commit suicide because of his domestic troubles.

STABBED TO DEATH.

New York, Nov. 22.—A street sweeper named Lorenzo Gallitiello was stabbed to death last night by a fellow countryman named Dominick Cosaro during an altercation on Mulberry street. The stabbing was the outcome of a grudge which had existed between the men for several weeks. After the cutting Cesaro ran away. The wounded man made no outcry, but ran into an alley, where he fell unconscious. He was taken to a hospital, where he died soon afterward. The murdered man was the father of five children. Cesaro is also married.

KILLED IN A COLLISION.

Denver, Nov. 22.—A special from Nogales, Ariz., says: Saturday night near Casati, a station on the Sonora railroad, in Mexico, a passenger train collided with three cars which had got away from a freight train. The engineer of the passenger train, George Barker, was killed, the fireman so seriously injured that he has since died, and the express messenger, J. O. Moulton, was injured, but not seriously. The cars and locomotive were wrecked.

FOUR LIVES DESTROYED.

Mandeville, La., Nov. 22.—News has been received here of a desperate fight at Bayou Lacombe between Arthur and Edward Jolleon on one side and Lawrence and Edward Cousin on the other, which resulted in the killing of all parties concerned. The cause of the trouble is attributed to an old family feud.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER DEAD.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Trigg, aged 52, and her 10-year-old daughter, Ethel, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed their residence Sunday. A son escaped with a broken leg. Mrs. Trigg had escaped, but returned to save the daughter and fell exhausted.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Bethany, Mo., Nov. 22.—James Parker and Elmer Fruit were burned to a crisp in a fire that destroyed the Blackburn Bros'. livery barn Sunday morning. Two comrades tried to rescue them and were nearly suffocated.

FARMER FATALLY WOUNDED.

Goshen, Ind., Nov. 22.—William Horan shot and fatally wounded Allan Griffy last night. Horan surrendered himself. He says Griffy threatened to kill him. Both are farmers, and Griffy was quite wealthy.

TROPICAL REPUBLIC.

Mexico City, Nov. 22.—The question of the future of Cuba excites some interest, owing to the talk of a possible union of the island with the Mexican republic in case of its gaining ultimately its independence, which would be pleasing to a large portion of the Mexican people. The Herald remarks: "Cuba should become a part of Mexico, which will eventually form a part of the great tropical republic extending to the mouth of the Orinoco, making the Carribean sea and gulf of Mexico the new world's Mediterranean."

Two more victims are reported of the explosion of the artillery wagons loaded with guncotton which occurred close to the Waters Pierce Oil company's works.

HELD UP, BEATEN AND ROBBED.

Natick, Mass., Nov. 22.—John Mike and Thomas Danhier, while riding home from Sherborn Saturday night, were held up near Sherborn swamp by two men, who pulled them from their wagon and, after beating them into unconsciousness, made off with $28 of Mike's money. By quick and energetic work the police before noon Sunday had arrested John Dunn and Ned Powers on suspicion and $25 were found on the former for which he could not account. The affair, when it became known, created a tremendous sensation in the town, especially as Mike is lying in a precarious condition at his home, while Danhier is also suffering from severe bruises about the head and shoulders.

MAN ASSASSINATED.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 22.—John Denmark, residing one and one-half miles from Van Etten, and his little son were sitting in the home when the muzzle of a double-barrelled shotgun was poked through the window at short range. An assassin blazed away at Denmark, killing him instantly. The boy was slightly wounded. A searching party was soon scouring the country. Hounds are being used to trace the criminals.

GRIFFO AS A VAGRANT.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 22.—"Young" Griffo, the Australian boxer, has been arrested and locked up on the charge of vagrancy. Griffo was indignant and declared: "I am a native of India and a subject of Great Britain, and when I get out this police department will have the whole British government down on it." Griffo is penniless and his manager has left the city.

CHARRED REMAINS FOUND.

Winthrop, Me., Nov. 22.—The dwelling of Davis M. Gower at Readfield Corner was burned Saturday evening. Mr. Gower was a man of nearly 80 years, very feeble, and unable to escape from the burning building. His charred remains were found Sunday morning.

BREWSTER MURDER TRIAL.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 22.—Interest in the Mildred Brewster case increases, and many are the speculations as to the outcome. Miss Brewster's lawyers are confident that they can prove their client insane, and profess to have no doubt regarding the result. It is the prevailing opinion that the trial will be a long one because of the mass of expert testimony to be produced by the state and respondent. The work of impanelling a jury began this afternoon. The case has been so widely discussed that it is thought considerable time will be spent before a jury can be secured.

When the trial began the respondent's counsel moved a retraction of the "not guilty" plea and substituted a plea for the abatement of the indictment on the ground that it was not properly found against the respondent by reason of the fact that a stenographer was in the grand jury room taking testimony at the time. This question is a new one and has never been ruled upon. In the Caswell murder case the stenographer was admitted, but the legal question was not raised.

MASKED BURGLARS ACTIVE.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 22.—Marlboro and Roxbury, adjoining towns, are aroused over recent burglaries there. Two masked men entered the house of Charles Ryan, in Marlboro, and demanded money at the point of revolvers. One of the men kept Mr. and Mrs. Ryan covered with the weapon, while the other ransacked the house, taking nothing that was not easily negotiable.

William Phillips of Roxbury, who lives alone in his house, was suddenly confronted by two men, undoubtedly the same ones. Mr. Phillips offered resistance and was knocked down with a club.

Some People's Folly.

Why some persons will suffer with the excruciating pangs of rheumatism, when they can be so easily cured by that greatest of pain-cures, Salvation Oil, is past human comprehension. That Salvation Oil does cure rheumatism is evidenced by Mr. G. F. Schrader, Pierce, Neb., who says: "I have used Salvation Oil and think there is no liniment on earth like it. I had the rheumatism for several months and could get no relief until I used Salvation Oil, two bottles of which effected a cure, and I feel as well as ever. No home should be without it." Salvation Oil is sold everywhere for 25 cents. When dealers offer a substitute beware, you'll be victimized. Insist on having the best, Salvation Oil.

A STRONG APPEAL

To Europe as Against the United States.

AUSTRIAN MINISTER SEEMS EXCITED.

Gen. Ordway of New York Dead.

Vienna, Nov. 22.—Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, when making an appeal to all Europe in his annual address before the Austrian and Hungarian delegations to take advantage of the present era of peace and to join closely for the vigorous defence of conditions common to each European country as against the "crushing competition of transatlantic nations," said: "A turning point has been reached in European countries which calls for the unremitting attention of government. The great problems of material welfare, which become more pressing every year, are no longer matters for the future, but require to be taken in hand instantly. The destructive competition which transoceanic countries are carrying on in part at present, and which is in part to be expected in the immediate future, requires prompt and thorough counteracting measures if the vital interests of the people of Europe are not to be gravely compromised.

"We must fight shoulder to shoulder against a common danger, and arm ourselves for the struggle with all the means at our disposal. Just as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries were absorbed by religious wars, just as the eighteenth century was marked by the triumph of liberal ideas, and just as the nineteenth century has been notable for the appearance of great questions of nationality, so will the twentieth century be for Europe a period marked by a struggle for existence in the politico-commercial sphere. European nations must close ranks in order successfully to defend their existence. May this be realized everywhere, and may the epoch of peaceful development we now confidently anticipate be employed in collecting our strength and devoting ourselves chiefly to this end."

GENERAL ORDWAY DEAD.

New York, Nov. 22.—General Albert Ordway died last evening at the Hoffman House. General Ordway and his wife returned from Europe last Wednesday. Next day the general was taken sick and he continued to grow weaker until 7:15 o'clock Sunday evening.

The general's death was doubtless hastened by the sad and recent events in connection with his daughter, Bettina Girard. The latter a day or two ago was transferred to a private sanitarium from Bellevue hospital. Owing to the pleading of his wife, who had become reconciled to her daughter, General Ordway finally consented to the return of the former actress, and a reunion of the family in Washington was arranged.

Brevet General Albert Ordway was born in 1843 and served with credit and gallantry throughout the civil war, the greater portion of the time with his regiment, the Twenty-fourth Massachusetts infantry. An act of personal gallantry at Newberne, N. C., was followed by his appointment as adjutant of the regiment. He remained in North Carolina until June, 1863, later serving in the army of the Potomac, then in Florida and through the campaign of 1864-65 in the army of the James. After the occupation of Richmond he was appointed provost marshal of Virginia, where, through a portion of the troublous reconstruction times, he directed the delicate duties of his position with much skill and tact. For gallantry at various times and because of his ability he had been successively promoted until, when slightly over 23 years of age, he was made brevet brigadier general, being the youngest officer in the service to receive that grade. His regiment and himself were retained in the service until February, 1866, and were the last volunteer troops mustered out in the state.

THE DURRANT CASE.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Today the attorneys for Durrant applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandate to compel Judge Bahrs to settle the bill of exceptions proposed by Durrant, an appeal from the last order of the supreme court ordering him to be hanged. The bill of exceptions was presented to the judge Saturday, but he declined to take action. He consented to defer his formal refusal until today in order that Durrant's attorneys might take steps to secure a writ of mandate directing him to do as requested. The next move of the prosecution will be made immediately upon the arrival of the remittatur from the supreme court.

WHERE MURDER IS JUSTIFIED.

Santafee, N. M., Nov. 22.—In the district court in Rio Arriba county, in the case of E. Jaramillo and P. Salazar, for the murder of P. Garcia, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Then Judge Laughlin said to the jury: "Gentlemen, I find it is entirely useless to prosecute crimes in this county. It seems that murder is justified here. You can all be discharged permanently and go home."

it is what a cough may lead to that makes it so dangerous.

HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar is a medicine that has long been tested in private practice. Sold by druggists generally.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

BOSTON WOMAN'S JEWELS

Stolen in a Handkerchief From Her Room by a Caller.

Fearful Head-on Collision of Electrics at Baltimore With Fatal Results—Miss Mellish of Holyoke Seminary Still Missing.

Boston, Nov. 22.—At an early hour this morning the most extensive diamond robbery which has taken place in this city for a long time was reported to the police of division 6. Maud M. Brown of 220 West Springfield street was the victim, and the police are actively looking for the man who is supposed to be responsible for the disappearance of the jewels. The loser is fortunate in having a considerable collection of very valuable jewelry, and she is in the habit of keeping it knotted in a handkerchief under her pillow.

Last evening sh e had two callers, one a young lady of her acquaintance, and the other a gentleman whom the young lady says she met last night for the first time. Miss Brown was abed when they arrived, but rose and entertained her visitors with selections on the piano. After the departure of the guests the hostess was abed for some little time, and when she awoke she discovered her precious handkerchief was missing.

The police had no difficulty in finding Miss Brown's female friend, but the strange gentleman is very much missing, and the woman who introduced him to the house disclaims knowing who he is or where he abides.

ORDERS WERE DISOBEYED.

Baltimore, Nov. 22.—Because Theodore R. Merrick, a motorman in the employ of the Baltimore and Northern railway, disobeyed orders, officers of that road say, there was a frightful head-on collision Sunday on the line, in which Merrick was almost instantly killed and W. F. Horner, motorman of the car which was going in the opposite direction, received injuries from which he died about half an hour later. The two conductors and the four passengers who were on the cars were all more or less hurt, although the injuries are not supposed to be dangerous.

On Horner's car, which was northbound, there were, besides Horner and Conductor Watkins, three passengers, as follows: Charles Snowden, Daniel Brown and Frank Mahon. Mahon, Watkins and Brown received slight cuts and bruises, but they were not seriously hurt. On Merrick's car, which was southbound, there was only one man besides Merrick and Conductor Ewing. This was B. F. Snowdon. Snowden was badly shaken up and received slight injuries.

HUNTING FOR A MISSING GIRL.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 22.—All day long men have been scouring the woods about Mount Holyoke college in Hadley, searching for Bertha L. Mellish, a junior, who has been missing since Thursday. No trace of her has been found, and her friends have practically given up hope of finding her alive. State Detective Munson is of the opinion that the girl was drowned in the Connecticut river either accidentally or in suicide. No reason can be ascribed for her leaving college without a word to anyone. Her closest friend in college, Miss Eaton, says that Miss Mellish was very venturesome, and that she frequently took long walks in the fields and woods. It may be that she wandered away Thursday afternoon further than usual and became lost and has perished in the woods.

FOOT BALL GAMES

Harvard and Yale Lost Saturday's Games.

PENNSYLVANIA AND YALE THE VICTORS.

Lavigne and Walcott to Meet Feb. 22.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—It is the opinion of Harvard's football players and students collectively that the university of Pennsylvania has the strongest team on the gridiron. This conclusion was reached after a valiant struggle by the Cambridge boys to win Saturday's game. They lost it by the score of 15 to 6.

Harvard started the game without the services of Captain Cabot, Richardson taking his place at left end. Swain, who played against Yale at left tackle, was replaced by Wheeler; Mills and Haughton alternated in Donald's position at right tackle, Warren's position at right halfback was ably filled by Parker.

The Harvard team, as a whole, played good football, but the Pennsylvanians played better. In Dibblee and Parker, Harvard had two of the finest halfbacks, and had Harvard's line held as it should have done, the crimsons would have been more dangerous for Pennsylvania. On the ends the Cambridge men showed none of the slowness in getting down the field which characterized the play against Yale. Both teams were guilty of bad fumbling. Two of Pennsylvania's fumbles cost them the loss of two touchdowns. Harvard's fumbles were more numerous, but less disastrous.

PRINCETON LOST TO YALE.

New Haven, Nov. 22.—A more disconsolate looking lot of football players than the tigers after Saturday's game ended has seldom been seen. While the Yale men, half wild with happiness over their unexpected victory, were swarming across the field to carry the victorious players from the field, the Jerseymen plodded to their dressing rooms alone. They were battered and bruised; they were exhausted by the severe playing, and dazed by the defeat of which they had never dreamed. It was a hard beating for Princeton, and a contest that will not soon be forgotten. Without changing their mud-stained suits, the players were conveyed by trolley cars to their quarters at Morris cove. There was little discussion of the game among either coaches or players. The Princeton contingent felt too gloomy to talk and were backward about expressing opinions of a contest that had proved such a disappointment to them.

The players attributed their defeat to the poor physical condition of some of them. Injuries deprived the tigers of their most reliable and needed men. Without them defeat was inevitable.

"Alex" Moffat, the head coach, said that Yale won a victory by hard, clean playing. It was a splendid game, and its sad ending for Princeton was due more than anything else to the injuries of their strongest players.

LAVIGNE AND WALCOTT.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Billy Lavigne and Tom O'Rourke have arranged for a fight at 137 pounds between George Lavigne and Joe Walcott. The contest will take place about noon, Feb. 22. Solly Smith and George Dixon have also signed for a match, the meeting to take place some time in February in this city.

DUE TO BE AN UMPIRE.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 22.—Alfred G. Do..., [illegible] declined the offer of the New Bedford baseball directors to manage the team next season, and will accept a position as umpire in the National league.

DEATH OF JUDGE NELSON.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 22.—Judge Thomas L. Watson of the United States district court for the district of Massachusetts, died at his residence, 17 Kendall street, in this city, at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning, after a long illness. He was stricken with a sudden sickness at the Parker house, his home while holding court in Boston, early in February, and at the time his physicians believed the end to be not far off. He was finally taken home, and to the surprise of the doctors rallied so successfully as to be able to leave his bed, and then to resume, to an extent, his active life. He went to Boston a number of times, and again took his seat upon the bench, though not to hear any cases excepting where business was briefly transacted. The old trouble returned again, and finally, a few weeks ago, he had again to confine himself to his room, and then to his bed, and he gradually grew weaker until the end came. He leaves a widow and four children.

Judge Nelson was born at Haverhill, N. H., March 4, 1827, and was admitted to the bar in 1855. He acquired a large and lucrative practice, and was especially successful in equity and bankruptcy law. Equity law was rather new, the Massachusetts court having but recently been given this jurisdiction. He was appointed United States district judge for Massachusetts by President Hayes in 1879, to succeed John Lowell, who was promoted to the circuit court.

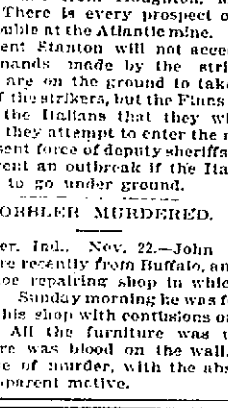
FINNS VS. ITALIANS.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 22.—A special to The Tribune from Houghton, Mich., says: There is every prospect of serious trouble at the Atlantic mine. Superintendent Stanton will not accede to any demands made by the strikers. Italians are on the ground to take the places of the strikers, but the Finns have warned the Italians that they will be killed if they attempt to enter the mine. The present force of deputy sheriffs cannot prevent an outbreak if the Italians attempt to go under ground.

COBBLER MURDERED.

Ligonier, Ind., Nov. 22.—John Earl came here recently from Buffalo, and set up a shoe repairing shop in which he roomed. Sunday morning he was found dead in his shop with contusions on the head. All the furniture was upset and there was blood on the wall. It is a case of murder, with the absence of an apparent motive.

SHERIDAN'S CONDITION



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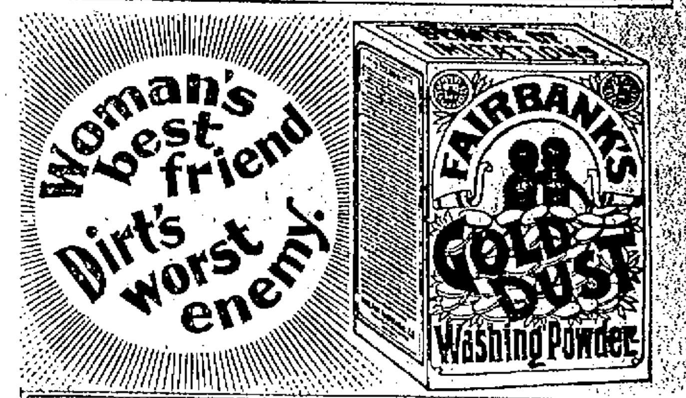

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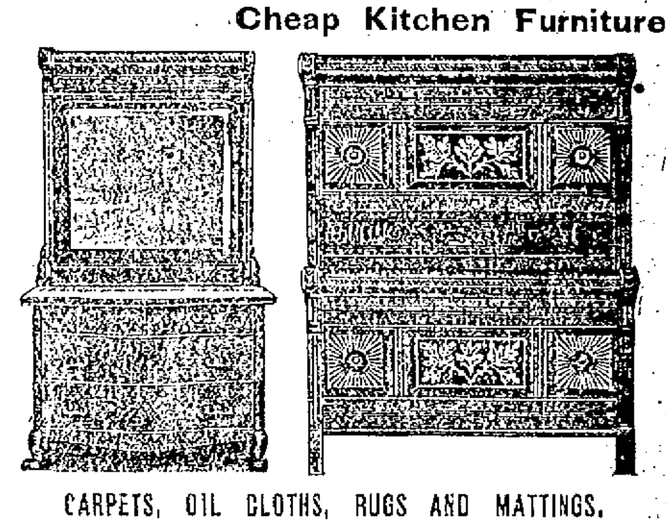

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THE EXPOSITION OF THE CENTURY.

Paris Will Endeavor to Excel the Chicago Fair.

Progress, Plans and Purposes of the Greatest Exhibition In the History of the World.

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IF ENTERPRISE, enthusiasm and extravagance can insure success, the Paris exposition of 1900 will be the eighth wonder of the world, and an unparalleled achievement may be expected on the threshold of the twentieth century in the gayest capital in the world.

The work of preparation for the great undertaking has begun in earnest, and the demolition of buildings on the site of the exposition is under way. The plan of the grounds not only provides for an area four times as large as that of the exposition of 1889, but also calls for work of considerable magnitude and great pretentions, intended to outlive the exposition and forever after beautify the city.

These undertakings will involve an expenditure of 75,000,000 francs, about $15,000,000 in our money. One quarter of this sum will be used in beautifying the Champs Elysees, already one of the most beautiful spots in Paris.

No city anywhere, not even in the United States, contains in its center an area of land equally available for exposition purposes. When you stop to consider that this wonderful show is to be held not in the outskirts of this, one of the oldest and most beautiful of the European centers of population, but in the very heart thereof, you will be able to form an adequate idea of the first step toward the construction of what the Parisians claim will astonish all mankind.

The site for the exposition includes the public grounds on both sides of the Seine from the Place de la Concorde, that great monumental square in the city's center, to a point beyond the Pont de Jena. This includes in its sweep of territory the Champs de Mars, the Trocadero palace and park, which was the site of the exposition of 1889; the Esplanade des Invalides, the Quai d'Orsay, the Quai de la Conference, the Cour la Reine, and a large section of the Champs Elysees, this latter including the site of the Palace of Industry, which was the international exposition of 1855, the first of the series of French expositions.

If half the schemes that have been suggested for the exposition should be used, there would not be room for them, not only in the exposition grounds, but in a space equal to the whole site of the city of Paris. It really seems as if every ingenious schemer the world over has been devoting himself to making suggestions for striking features for the exposition. There is the marvelous city in the air to be sustained by a gigantic balloon. The city is to drop down to the ground at convenient intervals and take aboard such additions to its population as may be inclined to thus rise in the world, or to permit the debarkation of persons who are tired of remaining so long within one city's limits.

The woman's building, which has practically been decided upon, is likely to be in the form of a composite head, this head being made in accordance with a composite picture of the most beautiful women in the world. The head is to possess many unique features, besides containing all sorts of comforts, from the rooms where women may gossip in easy chairs to the restaurant, where they will gain at the same time new ideas and excellent meals.

One of the most unique ideas submitted was that of a gigantic fountain to be placed in the center of a great basin or lake. Tremendous force is to be applied to the jets, forcing them to a height of 200 feet.

Then there is the great globe, the aerial railway, the gigantic telescope and other big features of the exposition. Among the other propositions presented—and there have been 250 of them—is a palace for the accommodation of the public in general, a gorgeous affair, which, it is declared, shall contain everything that heart could wish and money can buy.

Then there will be an exhibition of the works of man from an early period up to date. This will apply particularly to the more notable inventions of great artists, and will include portraits, statuary, manuscripts, etc. A 200 ton clock is under consideration. A wine vat that will hold 88,000 gallons is another suggestion. Mines and geological exhibits without number are among the plans submitted. Camille Flammarion, the famous astronomer, wants a tremendous moon constructed, around which those who desire shall circulate in a balloon.

As for theaters, panoramas and other amusements, there are suggestions without number. Of course, it is proposed to have the Passion play. Another idea is to have a submarine theater. Then comes the usual Alpine panorama and another which it is alleged will represent the mysteries of the ocean.

The doings of the recent expedition of the French to Madagascar are what some one wishes to exploit on canvas, and so it goes.

The entries have now closed, and the members of the exposition committee must deliberate over what is before them. While 81 suggestions have been held to be worthy of consideration, really not more than 61 of these projects are at all in accordance with the general plan of the exposition. One of the commissioners has gone so far as to say that only 23 of them are at all appropriate, but this question must be settled by the commissioners as a whole.

The principal entrance to the exposition will be situated near the Seine, at one of the angles of the Place de la Concorde. Within the visitor will find on his right the Administration building and next to it the building of Education and Instruction. No structure of any kind will impede the view of the Seine on the left, but a gorgeous spectacle will greet the eye in the terraced gardens, which will be constructed on a princely scale on the border of the river.

A new promenade will be divided between the Champs Elysees and the Quai de la Conference. On the right, and facing the Hotel des Invalides, will be erected the palace of Fine Arts, and on the left will rise the palace, of smaller dimensions than those of the palace of fine arts, of the proposed exposition of French art.

These two buildings, with the monumental bridge, will be the only permanent ones of the exposition. They will be so arranged as not to change the character of the great Parisian avenue, and their distribution will lend itself to the same artistic purpose for all time, as does that of the actual palace of Industry. Porticos, statues, beds of flowers and the like will help complete the beautiful picture thus to be created.

The monumental bridge will be 60 feet in width, and will not interfere with navigation. A unique arch of beaten steel is expected to lend unusual grandeur, a part of which will be covered by an ornamental scheme of extremely light porticos, forming a metallic net of lacework appearance.

The system which has been adopted for the elevated constructions on the esplanade will be different from that employed in 1889, in that these constructions will be placed in the center. All this part of the territory of the exposition will be reserved for the industrial arts and all that appertains to them.

It was proposed to tear down the palace of Industry, but the project has startled a great number of people. Artists, sportsmen and agriculturists were especially alarmed lest they would be deprived of a place, as a critic has expressed it for them, wherein to exhibit themselves for four years.

But the committee within whose hands the work of laying out the general plan was intrusted has assured them that they need not fear. The annual salon of the Society of French Artists, they say, will be given a home or habitation in some part or other of the Champs Elysees, and as for the other societies concerned, the committee says they will make it their business to find quarters for them also.

The exposition will cover both banks of the Seine up to the Alma bridge. On the right will be the buildings of the city of Paris, of horticulture and social economy, and on the left the foreign buildings. From the Alma bridge to the Champs de Mars station will be erected the palaces for the exposition of land and naval warfare, merchant marine, forests, hunting, fisheries and crops.

All the colonial expositions will be installed in the Trocadero of the Champs de Mars. The buildings to be devoted to agriculture, mines and metallurgy, chemistry, transportation, electricity, clothing, foods, civil engineering and the like will also be located here.

Two series of palaces, on the same general principle, each group, nevertheless having different characteristics for the sake of variety, and arranged according to gradation, will be built along Suffren and La Bourdonnais avenues. They will culminate at an immense water castle with cascades and also at the palace of Industry.

Over all the circumference of the garden will be developed a series of terraces, from the top of which a magnificent view will be afforded of the panorama of the Champs de Mars and of the Trocadero.

The electricity building will be a palace of resplendent glass and will be so brilliantly illuminated at night that it will look like a gigantic beacon of light. The machinery building of 1889 will be preserved, though its form will be somewhat modified, as also the use to which it will be put. In the center will be installed a great meeting hall, of which the palace of electricity will constitute the brilliant vestibule, and the two wings of which will screen the group of agriculture.

The famous Eiffel tower will also be retained, but beyond this the committee has not yet arrived at any decision. It will undoubtedly be added to in many particulars with the view of making it a still greater wonder than it already is.

The Paris exposition is to witness the crowning triumph of the bicycle. It will be in the form of a bicycle palace. The plans for this remarkable structure are the result of the genius of M. Paul Lemoy, a wheelman of considerable note.

The palace itself will be a remarkable structure. The interior will not be broken up into small apartments to any extent, but instead the vast space will be used for the display of the wheel in all its forms, from the first crude two wheeled walking machine to the delicate mechanism which will mark the improved wheel at the close of the present century. Three years are likely to develop some wonderful improvements in the wheeling world.

The main entrance will be entirely of marble, cut in the form of immense bicycle forks, while overhead will rest a huge handlebar of burnished steel. A number of smaller rooms will open from the main floor, separated only by festooned curtains, which will be made entirely of network such as the material usually used in the guard on the woman's bicycle.

At either end of the main floor will be a monster wheel, with a tire made of Crookes tubing, by which artificial daylight is produced. These monster wheels will revolve from the time the exposition opens until its close. Apart from the light produced in this manner the only illumination will be large bicycle lamps of every conceivable construction.

Every seat in the building will be made of parts of a bicycle, though many of them will be so arranged as to be far more comfortable than the very latest in saddles. Curved and straight handlebars will be used for backs and cushioned wheels in some cases for seats, while the chairs will be held up by different parts of the frame.

Major Moses P. Handy has been appointed special commissioner of the United States to the exposition. This country has never been very eager in its acceptance of invitations to exhibit at such affairs, and this one has been no exception.

Major Handy will find that the United States is handicapped by the delay in our acceptance of the invitation to exhibit. It is more than a year since the last of the important nations of the world accepted the invitation of the French government, and hence all other nations have a year's start over us. Our delay has met with much criticism in France, especially since the French have always been friendly to America and that republic was the first nation to accept the president's invitation to take part in the celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America. Even Germany, the traditional enemy of France, long ago declared its delight to aid in the celebration in honor of the greatness of France.

The exposition authorities have now admitted Major Handy's main contention, that practical equality should be observed in the assignment of space among the leading nations. The tardiness with which the United States commission has been sent out has thus been overcome, and the other foreign commissioners have been the first to congratulate Mr. Handy on the success of his efforts. The basis on which the distribution of space will be made benefits them all, as there will be but a few hundred meters of difference in the superficial area granted for their exhibits to such competing nations as the United States, Great Britain, Germany and Austria-Hungary. The treatment of most favored nations was from the first sure to be accorded to Russia on account of the alliance, and to Belgium, whose industrial interests are so closely united with those of the French.

The essential work of the special commissioner was to secure for the United States this treatment of equality with the other great nations. The concessions of increased space which have been made crown this work and have been accepted by Major Handy. They comprise very much more than was proposed on his arrival, and are practically as much as the United States has a right to ask in consideration of the limitations on all the nations.

It is expected that the American forestry exhibit will be of unusual interest. The finest collection yet made of southern woods, now on exhibition at Nashville, will be ready for 1900, and it should be completed by an adequate and comprehensive exhibition of the woods of the north and west.

At the Paris exhibition of 1878 the United States was represented by 1,125 exhibitors. In 1889 the number was increased to 2,000, and it is not too much to expect at least 3,000 and probably as many as 5,000 will show their products at that of 1900.

The eagerness which foreigners have shown to participate has caused the exposition management to allot a large part of the space to them, and this does not include the space reserved for regular government buildings, which many foreign powers will erect in addition to the exhibits of private individuals and firms. It is estimated that one-tenth of the grounds will be covered by these special buildings. Altogether the foreign countries will be allotted about twice as much space as they had in 1889, provision being made for 50,000 foreign exhibitors.

April 15, 1900, is the date which has been set for the opening of the exposition, and its doors will close on Nov. 5. The plans have been arranged on an elaborate scale, and Commissioner General Picard is certain that he will be able to eclipse the world's fair at Chicago.

One of the most difficult problems connected with the exposition, that of rapid transit within the grounds, has been finally decided in favor of a system of traction first introduced and tested in the United States. The so called "moving sidewalk," which aroused such well deserved interest at Chicago World's fair, will be used.

All who visited that stupendous exhibition will remember the ingenious contrivance consisting of a row of seats resting upon an elevated wooden pavement which slid upon rollers propelled by electricity. The mechanism consisted in reality of two parallel surfaces moving in the same direction, the one nearer the station platform going at a lower rate of speed, so as to allow the passenger to make the transit to the more rapid surface without danger or shock. The system worked very well, and it was introduced at the Berlin exhibition some time after, under the supervision of the American inventors, Messrs. Slisbee and Schmidt.

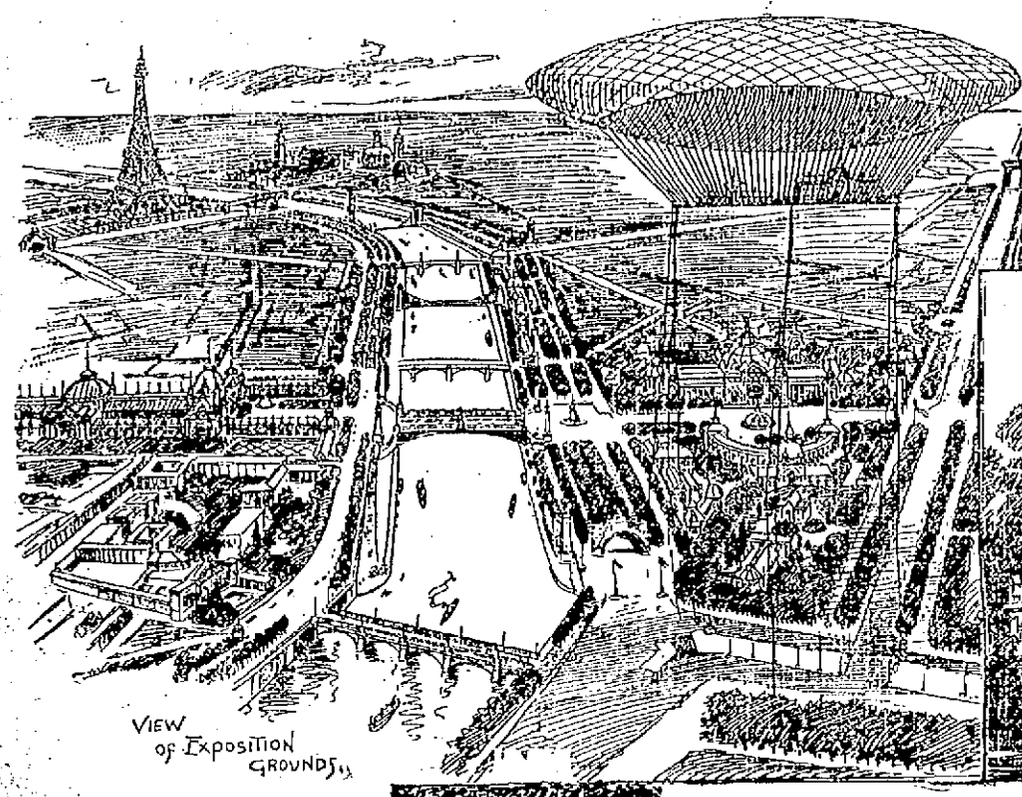
The "moving sidewalk" of the Paris exposition of 1900 will resemble its predecessors in its general plan, but it will also embrace several important improvements. One of the principal objections to the original invention was the fact that not only the planes, but also pretty well all the other portions of the contrivance—wheels, motors, axles, etc.—were included in the general movement. This necessitated a stoppage of the entire mechanism every time repairs became necessary, occasioning a grievous interference with the traffic. Furthermore, the disposition of the rails and other defects in the construction resulted in considerable friction and wear and tear, calculated to render the operating of the road a serious menace to life and limb. Without going into technical details, it may be said that the French engineers, Messrs. Armengaud, Blot, Guyenet and Mocumble, have succeeded in eliminating all the objectionable features of the old system and producing a method of traction that commends itself to the exposition commission as fulfilling all the requirements of the situation. This road, forming a belt around the grounds, will be able to convey 61,732 passengers per hour, a record impossible to equal by any other method. It will prove a veritable godsend if, as the commissioner general, M. Picard, calculates, the attendance at the exposition should exceed 60,000,000.

The general appearance of the "moving sidewalk" will resemble the New York elevated railroad, being supported by steel uprights about 15 feet in height, with stations at regular intervals reached by pairs of staircases. The plan is to include within the belt the entire Champs de Mars and the Quay d'Orsay as far as the Esplanade des Invalides, so that every passenger for his 10 cent fare will obtain a full panorama of the best part of the exposition.

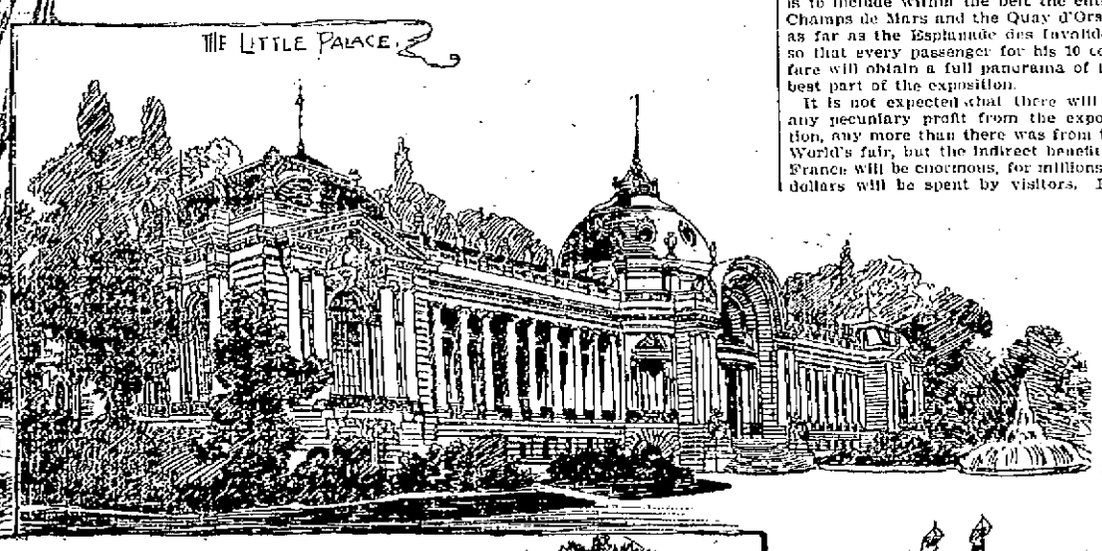
It is not expected that there will be any pecuniary profit from the exposition, any more than there was from the World's fair, but the indirect benefit to France will be enormous, for millions of dollars will be spent by visitors. For instance, it is estimated that the exposition of 1889 drew to Paris $250,000,000, of which $100,000,000 came from the provinces and $150,000,000 came from abroad. It is expected that at least 50 per cent more money will be spent in 1900.

PIERRE LE MONT.

The sum of $21,000,000 is the official estimate of the cost of the World's fair of 1900 and is greatly in excess of the Paris exposition of 1889, which cost $8,600,000, or that of 1878, which cost $8,800,000. The cost of the two places on the Champs Elysees will alone be $4,000,000.



VIEW of EXPOSITION GROUNDS



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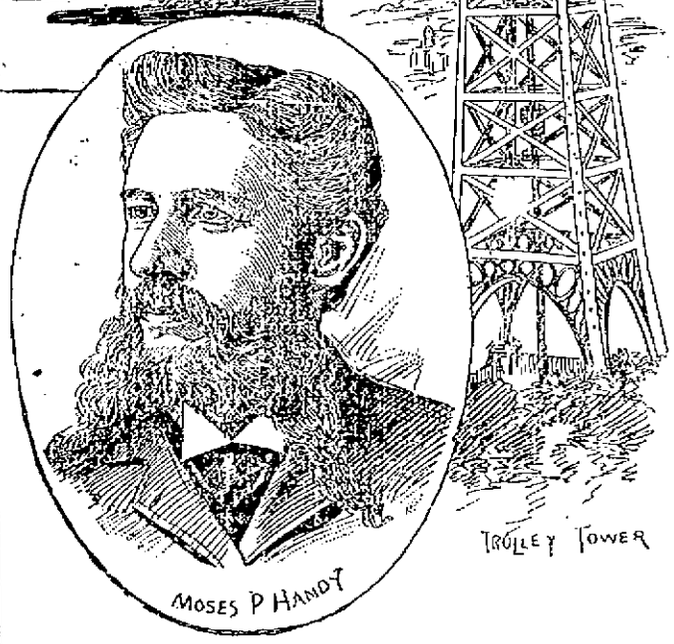

MOSES P HANDY

TROLLEY TOWER

A Champagne Bottle Tower.

An ingenious scheme to provide attractions at the Paris exposition of 1900 is the bottle plan.

The idea is to build a huge tower in the form of a champagne bottle. It will be divided into chambers in which the process of manufacturing wine will be exhibited.

In the first chamber, on the ground floor, there will be a charming scene. A vine clad hill at the season of gathering the grapes will be represented, the river Rhone appearing in the background. A yoke of oxen will draw a great load of freshly gathered grapes.

On the next and second story the work of gathering the grapes will be shown in more detail. The arrangement here will be of a somewhat humorous character.

Above that will be a wine press, not such as would be found in the champagne district, because that is too modern and not sufficiently picturesque. This will be a rustic wine press, a charming bit of old fashioned France.

Your ascent will then bring you to a brilliant scene, a striking contrast to the last. This will be a grand ballet, entitled "The Grape Harvest Festival," in which that smiling event will be celebrated in a suitable terpsichorean manner. Most people will be able to see a subtle connection between the ballet and the wine producing industry, apart from the fact that in this case one is specially devoted to the other.

Above that you will come to a scene of patient industry. Here the work of bottling and labeling will be represented. This will be a peculiarly instructive exhibition, as the bottling of champagne will be explained. This is a very elaborate and interesting process and one which is little understood by the general public.

The remaining three chambers will be arranged as a monastic cellar, the wine room and gay place of entertainment and an observatory.

What It Will Cost.

The estimated cost of the exposition, or rather the expenditures of the French government, will be 106,755,000 francs, or $21,357,000. Of this sum the city of Paris contributes 20,000,000 francs, the national government 50,000,000, and the remainder will be raised by a lottery and other financial measures. The lottery is a curious affair. The drawings extend over a series of five years. Each ticket, which sells for 20 francs, or $4, has attached to it 20 coupons that will be accepted for admission to the fair, and they are on sale in every news stand, cigar store, hotel, cafe, club and other places of resort in Paris, as well as at the banks, postoffices and other public institutions.

The grand capital prize is $360,000, and there are various other prizes of less amounts. The capital prize is divided into five annual portions of $100,000 each, and the first, which was drawn this year, fell to a rag merchant at Dunkirk.

The second prize, which is drawn annually, is 20,000 francs, and the third 10,000 francs. Then there are five prizes of 5,000 francs each, ten of 1,000 francs each, 100 of 500 francs each and 500 of 100 francs each, which are a sufficient inducement for the people all over the republic to invest. At the same time they get their money back in admission tickets to the fair.

Every franc that is invested in the lottery pays an admission, which is good at all times and can be resold between now and the close of the exposition if the purchaser does not care to retain it. Working people, laborers, farmers, school children and every other class of citizens are investing their savings in lottery tickets as a matter of patriotism as well as profit, but by this process before the fair is opened enough tickets will be sold in advance to anticipate all receipts at the gates.

Feeding the Help.

The most interesting feature of the coming French exposition thus far is a co-operative company for feeding the laborers on the grounds. The capital, which is 25,000 francs, divided into 1,000 shares of 25 francs each, has been furnished by philanthropic gentlemen who are interested in the promotion of co-operative undertakings for workingmen, and they intend it to be an object lesson for the benefit of trade unions and the public generally.

Several restaurants have been established in convenient locations where dinner is served at noon for 1 franc and 10 centimes, or 22 cents in our money, which includes soup, meats, vegetables, salads and puddings, with a portion of ordinary French wine. The profit on the stock has been limited to 3 per cent per annum, and all earnings above that sum are placed in a reserve fund, which will be divided into three parts.

One-tenth will be kept for the relief of workmen who are ill or injured during their employment by causes for which they are not responsible. Three-tenths will be divided at the end of each quarter among the employees of the restaurant, while the remaining six-tenths will be distributed as dividends or rebates among the customers. Every man, when he takes a meal, is given a ticket representing the amount he has expended. These tickets will be preserved and at the end of the quarter will be cashed by the treasurer in proportion to the amount they represent.

A Few Novelties.

A very interesting feature of the exposition will be an old Parisian street of three centuries ago and other exhibitions suggested by the peculiar habits, customs and manners of life of foreign countries. There is a proposition to revive the famous wooden horse which played so important a part in the siege of Troy; an Egyptian city, with a representation of the romance of Antony and Cleopatra, figures among the propositions; a cafe in a tunnel beneath the waters of the Seine has been planned, and a Milwaukee brewing company has applied for a concession to erect a monumental barrel of beer of glass 52 feet in length and 27 feet in diameter, from which the beer will be drawn through several hundred faucets.

An adventurous person styled M. X. proposes to organize an expedition to the north pole.

Freak Features of the Fair.

A lover of the old mythology would be delighted to see in the Seine a reproduction of the car of Amphitrite and a fleet of water nymphs. Vesuvius in eruption, with a view of Herculaneum in the process of destruction, is demanded by a Parisian.

It is presumed by an admirer of classic architecture that a reproduction of the Acropolis of Athens would be a fitting ornament of the height on which the Trocadero is situated.

Mr. Benedix of Chicago would be pleased to see a restoration of a gold diggers' camp of '49, so often reproduced in San Francisco. An impracticable of Calais thinks it possible to sink two wells in the depth of 1,650 feet, which connected by galleries, would, in his opinion, be exceedingly attractive.

Some one living at Tours proposed the hanging gardens of Babylon. It is suggested that the Versailles parks be utilized as annexes of the exposition and connected with Paris by fast trains. A citizen of Algiers proposes a huge basin, with jets of water, containing fish, from 6 to 35 feet in length.

The transportation of Mont Blanc to the exposition grounds is proposed, with practical illustrations of the manner in which it is ascended by parties bent on scientific exploration.

A Parisian considers that a vast aquarium would be a great attraction, especially if its wonders could be seen by means of a central basin, with a submarine boat for the convenience of visitors.

From Italy comes a suggestion to reproduce the Roman Coliseum, with combats of wild beasts and perhaps the martyrdom of a few Christians.

CRAZY SAILOR RAN AMUCK

Seized With Homicidal Mania on a Vessel.

Principals in the Tragedy on the Boston Fishing Schooner.

Slashed the Crew and Then Cut His Own Throat—An Officer Collapsed at Sight and Went to Hospital.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Manual Genoario, a sailor on the fishing schooner Two Forty of Gloucester, lying at T wharf, went crazy Saturday night and ran amuck with a sharp knife, attacking his shipmates and badly wounding them while they were lying in their bunks. Genoario was afterwards found dead upon the floor of the cabin, his throat cut and his knife in his hand.

Howard Spanks and Joseph Hay were first attacked in the most savage manner by the crazy man, Spanks being slashed on the left shoulder and right foot, and Hay having his left arm nearly severed. The madman then went into the cabin aft and attacked the other sleeping men, but the injuries inflicted were not so severe. Joseph Hudson was wounded twice in the right hand and Frank Gill was cut on the right side of his neck, his breast, left foot, and twice on the left hand.

The cries of the wounded men and the noise made by the crazy sailor awakened Captain Silva, who at once rushed on deck and cried for help. Genoario had evidently tried to reach the captain, for the former's body was found in Silva's cabin.

In response to the call, Special Officer Nicholas Murphy, who guards the wharf, ran to the vessel and looked into the cabin. He saw Genoario's body and immediately discharged his revolver in the air four times for assistance.

The excitement and the spectacle in the cabin were too much for the officer, and he collapsed with what afterwards proved to be partial paralysis. Several officers who answered the call found they had no work to do except to send for a physician to attend the wounded men. All were sent to the hospital, where their wounds were attended to.

Genoario had been acting rather queerly for several days, but special attention had not been given to his condition. The dead man was aged 32 and lived in Gloucester, where he had a wife and several children. He is spoken of there as having been a peaceable man, and as never having given any evidence of being mentally unbalanced. He came from Fayal a number of years ago, and it was said he had a similar attack of insanity at that place.

PRIEST IN COURT

Sued a Bishop for Salary Unpaid.

THE SUPREME COURT TO DECIDE MATTER.

Claimant Rebels Against His Superior.

Albany, Nov. 22.—Today the court of appeals was called upon to consider one of the most serious questions which that court has had to decide in some years, namely, whether the adjudication by a court of the Roman Catholic church of a controversy is a bar to a civil action in the regularly constituted courts of the state of New York. The supreme court, special term, and the supreme court, appellate division, have decided that a religious court in its nature is ecclesiastical only and has no jurisdiction to determine the civil rights of parties, and is no bar to action even by priests of that church in a civil court.

The question comes up on the appeal of the Rev. J. S. Baxter, a priest in the diocese of Brooklyn, from a decision of the metropolitan court of the archdiocese of New York, presided over by the vicar general, rejecting his application for reinstatement to his parish and for an award of $6665 salary alleged to be due him, and also from the judgment of the apostolic delegate at Washington, affirming that decision.

Father Baxter was assigned by Bishop Laughlin to duty in the Mission church at Babylon Sept. 10, 1885, at the usual salary, $1000 per year. All of the funds of the church were turned over to the bishop, who, it is alleged, guaranteed the payment of the salary. In 1892, the priest, because of physical disability, was relieved from duty, and at this time he asserts that there was a balance due him of $5508. In December of the same year, recovering somewhat, he was assigned to duty at St. Mary's hospital, Brooklyn, with a promise, as he alleges, that he should retain his pastor's salary and be sent back to his old charge. In 1896, after having received only $200 per year for services in the hospital, and the Rev. C. E. McDonnell having succeeded Bishop Laughlin, he brought his case to the attention of the metropolitan court of the archdiocese of New York.

The complainant asserts that while the case was in this ecclesiastical court, and while he was still suffering in health, he was induced by the vicar general, who presided, to sign a release for $1500 of his entire claim of nearly $5000. Upon his signing he was given the money, but was not restored to his parish. He appealed to the apostolic delegate at Washington, but the appeal was dismissed. He then carried the case to the state courts, and the defense interposed by the Roman Catholic prelates was, that the plaintiff had admitted that such metropolitan court had jurisdiction over him and that, being a member of the Roman Catholic church and subject to the rules, laws and discipline of that church, he was subject to the jurisdiction and adjudication of that church. The supreme court, special term, held differently, however. Upon this decision Father Baxter was allowed to bring action in the civil court, and from this Bishop McDonnell appeals to the court of appeals.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A fire at Bath, Me., burned out Frederick Pond's restaurant. Loss, $2000.

The boiler of John Woodward's mill at Louisville, Miss., exploded, causing the death of three men. Several others were fatally injured.

Florentine Moser, a New York fortune teller, committed suicide because of grief over the death of her little daughter. The child was poisoned from chewing the end of a match.

Several of the Spanish newspapers express regret at the opposition of the government to General Weyler, on the ground that it will create a strong party against autonomy for Cuba.

A bill has been drafted for introduction into congress at the next session providing for the appointment of a board of code commissioners for the district of Alaska to draft a code of criminal and civil laws.

The widow of Cadott, lynched in Emmons county, N. D., will sue the county for $50,000 for the lynching of her husband. Emmons county is already almost bankrupt on account of the trial of the self-confessed murderers, of whom Cadott was one.

A dispatch from Hawarden says that Mr. Gladstone, concerning whose health an alarming rumor was widely circulated Saturday, is in his usual health, and Sunday morning walked to and fro between the castle and the village church, where he attended service.

There is no immediate prospect of the conclusion of the reciprocity negotiations between the United States and France. Both governments have presented elaborate statistics to show their respective positions in any reciprocity arrangements, but the matter has not progressed to the point where an agreement can be foreseen.

SPOKE AS A MOUTHPIECE.

London, Nov. 22.—The Berlin correspondent of The Chronicle says: "Count Goluchowski's statement with reference to the struggle with America has excited the most widespread interest here. It is believed that before he made public so remarkable enunciation of policy he had the consent of the other European powers with the exception of England, and spoke as the mouthpiece of those governments."

The Vienna correspondent of The Chronicle says: "Count Goluchowski's appeal to Europe to unite against transoceanic countries is regarded rather as a platonic desire than as a concrete program. Thus far no practical attempt in that direction is intended, at least by Austria."

FISHERMAN BUNCOED.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 22.—George Soller, a fisherman, was buncoed in Boston Saturday. He went to that city to spend the day with friends, preparatory to taking a steamer this morning for his home in Nova Scotia. He met a well dressed stranger, who claimed to have $5000 which he was afraid of losing. It was decided that Sollers and the stranger would put their money in one parcel.

The Nova Scotian had $75, and this was tied up in a handkerchief with what he thought was the stranger's $5000. The two then went to a theatre. The stranger went out between the acts, leaving the parcel behind. He did not return, and Soller decided to open the handkerchief. He was chagrined to find nothing in it but a newspaper, and was obliged to return to Gloucester, having no money to pay his passage home.

FIRE DESTROYS AN ICEHOUSE.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 22.—The large icehouse of Nathaniel Webster at Day's pond was entirely burned Sunday, together with a large and complete stock of ice harvesting implements, farming tools and several wagons. The fire spread to a farmhouse nearby, also owned by Mr. Webster. The total loss was $10,000, of which there is an insurance of $7500, the latter being divided, $4000 on the icehouse and $3500 on the dwelling.

Arthur Lovett, a [illegible] man, was on his way to the fire when his horse became unmanageable through fright at one of the engines, and his vehicle was overturned. He received concussion of the brain and other minor injuries so that his condition is quite critical.

A Reminder to Father Time.

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SAW OUT OF A KNIFE.

Lewiston, Me., Nov. 22.—John Sears, Charles W. Tillman and William Richie broke out of Auburn jail between Saturday night and Sunday morning. They sawed off an iron bar and climbed the fence by the aid of oil barrels. The instrument used was a silver plated table knife, of which they made a saw.

Sears is one of the fellows who broke into Record's second hand store some months ago and was captured in Lawrence by Detective Odlin. Tillman is the negro who stole a watch and required the whole of the Auburn police to capture. Ritchie is a boy 16 years of age from Bath, sentenced for breaking and entering.

CHURCH FLOOR COLLAPSED.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 22.—By the collapse of the floor of the Cory Methodist chapel last evening 500 colored worshipers were precipitated to the ground a distance of seven feet. A panic resulted, but only three persons were hurt, and they not seriously.

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Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
§7 30	8 15	9 15	§3 05
§7 25	8 15	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 57
§9 10	10 10	5 00	§5 60
§4 25	5 32	7 34	§9 15
§5 55	7 00	8 00	§8 58
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8 30	8 03	7 30	8 33
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 30	10 25	11 40
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 06
11 03	1 37	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 59	3 40	4 55
2 30	3 41	4 25	5 45
3 20	4 22	5 01	6 10
4 05	5 25	6 01	7 13
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 45
6 15	7 20	9 40	10 57
7 00	8 06	11 15 ¶	12 51
9 23	10 36		

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8 15	9 27	8 00	9 47
12 05	1 20	11 45	12 58
4 15	5 28	5 00	6 25
5 30	6 65	7 00	8 22
7 25	8 45		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

¶ Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS.

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Allan, Anchor, Warren, French, German and Italian steamship lines to or from Boston, New York, Liverpool, and Queenstown. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England, Scotland, and all parts of the world. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's steamship agency, 16 Appleton st.

NOTICE.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 22, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date I shall not pay any bills contracted by my wife, Annie D. Brown, (formerly Mrs. Williams) she having left my bed and board. Signed

—William D. Brown.

A DOUBLE ROASTING PAN

Until Thanksgiving we will give away with a pound of our 60c. Tea a double roaster. See samples in show window. Telephone 13-2, Dickson Bros., 68 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central street.

Elegant rubber-tired hacks at O'Donnell's, Jefferson street. Telephone, 556-3.

Cold? Well, buy your coal of Rourke & Sullivan. It will keep your house comfortable. 223 Central street, 934 Gorham street.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

One Ladies' Solid Gold Watch, unredeemed. Cost $60. Will sell $25. In good order, warranted. Harris, 10 Appleton street.

Pease's orchestra at 201 Middlesex street, room 6. Order book at Lawler's book store, corner of John and Merrimack street.

A LIVELY RUNAWAY.

A horse belonging to Clephas Heroux ran away Saturday noon in Central street. Mr. Heroux left his horse in charge of a boy while he went into a store. The animal collided with a stone post and with Mr. Dimodana's wagon. It was caught on Cabot street.

FIREMEN'S EXAMINATIONS.

No preparation has yet been made for the civil service examination for permanent members of the fire department. Mr. Conant of the examiners said this week: "There is an impression that candidates for call positions in the fire department must undergo an examination. That is not correct. Call men who are now doing duty will not be obliged to undergo an examination unless they desire promotions to the permanent force. Permanent men now on duty will not be obliged to undergo an examination, unless they desire promotion."

MR. McDONOUGH ENTERTAINS.

Mr. Parker McDonough, the well known wine clerk, entertained a party of friends at his apartments yesterday the entertainment consisted of a number of selections on Mr. McDonough's graphaphone, the program including songs and selections by Maurice Johnson, Patrick Nealey and other well known artists. Mr. James Welsh rendered a number of vocal solos that were well received.

PRESENTED A SILVER SERVICE.

The overseers and yard employes of the Appleton mills on Saturday morning presented Mr. Charles H. Richardson, the retiring agent with a beautiful silver service. The presentation speech was made by Superintendent F. A. Bonan and Mr. Richardson responded. All the overseers were present.

TELEPHONE ALARM.

A telephone alarm summoned Chemical B of the Central fire station to Putnam's restaurant in The Sun building yesterday morning. A small blaze had started down near the boiler in the basement, and considerable damage was done.

A CHILD BURNED.

Edward McAndrews, aged 4 years, was frightfully burned while playing with matches at his parents' home, 13 Kidder street, Saturday afternoon. He was taken to St. John's hospital.

WORKINGMEN AND MECHANICS, THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

Terms liberal. A small amount down and the balance can be paid in monthly instalments.

Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 564 Middlesex street.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERR. ST.

Purgatorial Pills.

The druggist would hardly smile if you asked for "purgatorial pills." There are many of them. But he would probably recommend a pill that did not gripe; a sugar-coated pill, gentle in action, and sure in effect. What are they called?

..Ayer's Cathartic Pills..

GARDE D'HONNEUR

THE MILITARY ORGANIZATION L'ASSOCIATION CATHOLIQUE.

The Garde d'Honneur de l'Association Catholique, the new military feature of that well known society, is making rapid progress with the marching movement.

Drills are being held regularly in St. Joseph's college.

The uniform will consist of pale blue trousers, a blue blouse and red collar, military cap and coats. The total cost of equipment will be $2000 and this amount will be raised by holding soirees during the winter.

Following is the roster, the officers being temporary: Albert Blazon, 1st. Lieut.; Albert Bergeron, 2d Lieut.; J. L. Lamoureux, 1st Sergt.; J. N. Cote, 2d Sergt.

Privates, Alfred Audette, Joseph Audette, Andre Belanger, Donot Blazon, Godfroid Blazon, Napoleon Bonneau, Phillippe Bourgue, A. J. Burelle, Joseph Carrier, J. H. Choquette, Prosper Cossette, Joseph Cote, Alpdonse Dalphoud, Delphis Demers, Naziere Denault, Sylvain Dion, Joseph Drapeau, Moise Fontaine, Joseph Geoffroy, Etienne Gervais, Edouard Gill, Charles Giroux, Albert Guimond, Adelard Hale, Alfred Hamel, Frank Lebreque, Ernest Labrie, Emery Lanoue, Joseph Labourdais, Pierre Levasseur, Ovila Morin, George Nichols, Ernest Oullette, Octave Page, Wilfred Paradis, Adolphe Perron, Frank Rousseau, Henri Roy, Napoleon Servais, George Therien, L. P. Homer Turcotte, Louis Turgeon, E. Vallerand, Edouard J. Vigneault.

L'ASSOCIATION CATHOLIQUE.

The membership of L'Association Catholique has nearly reached the 500 mark. There is considerable interest in the contest for bringing the largest number of members during the remainder of the year. There is still talk about obtaining new quarters.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

NEW GOODS!
LATEST NOVELTIES
FOR THE FALL SEASON.
Your inspection cordially invited.
Louis Alexander,
Formerly of Fifth Avenue, New York Importer and Tailor,
NO. 65 CENTRAL STREET.
LOWELL.

$1.00 PER WEEK PAYMENTS

WE HAVE THEM

Stylish Suits and Overcoats for the Men and Boys.

Capes, Jackets, Collarettes and Skirts for the Ladies' and Girls.

SOLD ON CREDIT.

Men's Nobby Suits $5 up.
Men's Nobby Overcoats $6 up.
Custom Made Suits $15 up.
Ladies' Jackets $5 up.

No need for anyone to freeze trying to save enough to buy your winter outfit, as our terms will enable you to buy now and pay for goods while wearing them.

EMPIRE CREDIT CLOTHING CO., Over 97 Central St. Open Evenings

THANKSGIVING

Is upon us. As loyal Sons and Daughters of a Grand and Glorious Nation, it behooves all to commemorate the event in the TRUE SPIRIT. Make your Homes attractive to both old and young. BECAUSE the Home is the safeguard of our beloved Country.

THANKSGIVING REQUISITES!

LINENS.

54 inch Bleached Table Damask, 39c a yard.
54 inch Silver Bleach Table Damask, 49c a yard.
62 inch Silver Bleach Table Damask, 59c a yard.
62 inch Extra Fine Bleach Table Damask, 69c a yard.
68 inch Extra Superfine Bleach Satin Table Damask, 98c a yard.
Bleached Table Napkins, 5-8, Union, 59c a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 5-8, Union, 89c a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 21x21, all linen, $1.25 a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 3-4 size, all linen, $1.59 a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 3-4 size, all linen, $1.98 a dozen.
Linen Doylies, fringed, 5c each. 55c dozen.
Linen Damask Tray Cloths, 19c each.
Linen Damask, Hemstitch Tray Cloths, 29c each.
Linen Satin Damask Tray Cloths, 25c each.

THANKSGIVING REQUISITES.

LINENS.

Silk and Linen Doylies, 9c each
Hemstitch Table Cloths and Napkins to match, worth $7.00, for $4.98 set.
Hemstitch Table Cloths and Napkins to match, worth $8.00, for $5.98 set.
Hemstitch Table Cloths, 8-10, $1.98 each.
Linen Table Cloths, 79c.
Linen Huck Towels, 2 for 25c.
Linen Huck Towels, hemstitch, 19c each.
And a thousand other items of equal importance at this season of year.

BASEMENT DEPT.

(Thanksgiving Requisites)

Drip Pans, all sizes, 9c.
Turkey Roasters, all sizes, moderate prices.
Carving Sets, one lot at 29c a set.

BASEMENT DEPT.

(Thanksgiving Requisites)

Carving Sets, all prices, new styles.
Water Sets, all styles, for choice, 98c a set.
Silver Knives and Forks at just about wholesale prices.
Plain Tumblers, 23c a dozen.
Fry Pans, 10c each.
China Peppers and Salts, Silver Peppers and Salts.
Illuminum Peppers and Salts, Nickel Peppers and Salts. All kinds of Peppers and Salts, from 3c and upwards.
Blue Edge Pie Plates, all sizes, 5c each.
Nickel Plated Copper Tea Kettles, 89c each.
Illuminum Tea Kettles, $1.49 each.
Special. 9 styles of beautiful English Decorated Dinner Sets, 112 piece Sets, for $6.98 a set.
112 piece Sets, Fine China Dinner set, exquisite decorations and gold banded for $12.98.
10 piece Toilet Set, dainty decorations, $1.98 a set.

Everything for Thanksgiving at the lowest possible prices. See our Windows.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.,

THE BARGAIN GIVERS!

FIRE AND SMOKE SALE

And Thanksgiving Bargains.

AT THE

IMPERIAL CLOAK AND SUIT STORE

No. 11 BRIDGE STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

This week we propose to close our entire line of Imported and Domestic Garments, Samples, etc. We have cut another gash in our prices. What is left of our gigantic stock is the best and most desirable, and Thanksgiving week being the great week of the season for Cloaks, we take the opportunity to give our customers a chance of a lifetime to buy a handsome Garment cheap. Why are they cheaper than anywhere? Because the first mark was the Insurance company's loss, and the reduction we now make is our loss.

THIS WEEK—Come in and See Our Goods, Even if You Do Not Wish to Buy.—THIS WEEK COME

Here are a Few Special Bargains. But Any Article is a Bargain.

Capes at 98c.

Capes, Beaver Capes, jet trimmings, pleated backs, worth $8.50, price $3.98.

Jackets, Boucle Jackets, worth $10.50, they must go, price $5.75.

Jackets, Beaver Jackets, worth $7.50, they will go fast at $2.50.

Fur Collarettes. Never have we had such an elegant line of Fur Collarettes. The finest line in the city, and prices so low that anybody can have an elegant Fur Collarette for half price.

Brown Half Sheared Collarettes, worth $3.98, will go for $1.49.

Half Sheared Brown Coney Astrachan Yokes, worth $5.98, going at $2.75.

Astrachans, worth $4.98, go for $1.75.

They are all beauties. Half price on every Collarette in this store this week.

Fur Jackets, worth $25, for $12.50.

Capes, Fur Capes, in brown half sheared worth $10.98, must go this week at $5.98.

Capes, Wool Seal Capes, worth $22.50, go at $12.50.

Capes, fur lined Capes, worth $18.50, go at $10.98.

Wrappers, Silk Waists, Skirts, Suits and everything must go. Prices are cut in two. If you want bargains come, this is the time.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, just half what you will pay for them elsewhere.

Remember this stock at these prices will not last forever.

THE IMPERIAL CLOAK AND SUIT STORE

NO. 11 BRIDGE STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

WHY SHOULDN'T IT

THE SUN LEADS EVERY PAPER IN LOWELL IN CIRCULATION. WHY SHOULDN'T IT? NO PAPER IN TOWN COMPARES WITH IT AS A PAPER.

THE LOWELL SUN

WEIRD CEREMONY

AT CHINESE FUNERALS THE WONDER AND SURPRISE OF CHRISTIANS—THE JOSS HOUSE IN MOTT STREET DESCRIBED FULLY IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

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SECOND EDITION

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The weather indications for the ensuing twenty-four hours are as follows: Fair tonight, and generally fair Tuesday. Colder, with west to northwest winds.

Almanac, Tuesday, Nov. 23.
Sun rises—6:45; sets, 4:17.
High water—9:02 a. m.; 9:32 p. m.
Moon rises—4:36 a. m.

A BIG ERROR.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Burlington, Vt., Nov. 22.—Through the failure of the witnesses to the will of Augustus Barron to comply with the Vermont law requiring at least three witnesses to a will, to sign in the presence of each other, the property of the testator will be divided between his widow, brother and sister, instead of going to the widow, as the will directed. The estate amounts to $60,000.

TALBOT MILLS HUSTLING.

Talbot's Mills of Billerica must be doing a great business when they work employes Saturday night and Sunday.

AN INTERESTING FAMILY.

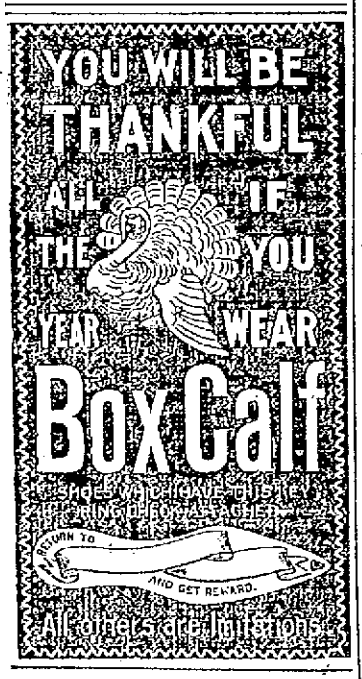
Parents and Ten Children All Attend School and All Work.

Away out on the prairie of western Kansas there lives at the little town of Lincoln Center a family of father, mother and ten children, all of whom are attending school and all earning their bread by their labor.

Thomas M. Strange is 45 years old. He is an ordained minister of the Christian church and is attending Lincoln college for the purpose of obtaining a higher education for his work. Mrs. Strange is also attending the college, as are the two oldest children. They are all in the junior year. Each morning they go to the college and sit together in the recitation rooms, and they usually have their lessons well prepared. The remaining children go to school at Lincoln Center.

There is a romance connected with the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Strange. Tom Strange was a farmer, 21 years of age, and poor. He was the oldest of six boys. He fell in love with his cousin, Miss Sarah Bird, aged 16 years. The two decided to marry, but the laws of Kansas forbid marriage between first cousins. So they set off together in an ox cart from their home in central Kansas and went to Pleasant Hill, Mo. It was a long and weary journey. They were married there on Aug. 5, 1871, and returned home in the ox cart. From that time on Tom Strange worked the harder and in spare moments studied with the intention of entering the ministry. He was licensed to preach in 1880 and ordained in 1883. Mrs. Strange also studied for the ministry and has been ordained. She seldom misses an appointment by her husband and in many ways lends him valuable assistance.

To this couple have been born 15 children. Ten are living and are with their parents. The youngest is a girl of 8 years, the oldest a son of 21. While Mr. Strange and the boys are planting, cultivating and harvesting the products from the ten acre patch about their home Mrs. Strange and the girls take in sewing and washing, and thus do their share toward supporting the family. Each member of the family has a particular work to do, and it is always done promptly and well.—New York Sun.



Christmas Drafts

On Ireland, England and Scotland. Payable in every town free of discount. Money order agency. Cor. Merrimack and Worthen Sts.

J. F. O'Donnell, Agt.

FOUND—A STRAY SHEPHERD DOG PUP on Mammoth Road Saturday morning. Owner can have same by calling at 80 Mammoth Road, Pawtucketville.

WANTED — MANAGER FOR BRANCH office. Old established firm. $1200 and expenses first year. $930 cash required to cover stock carried. Address Manufacturer, care "Sun."

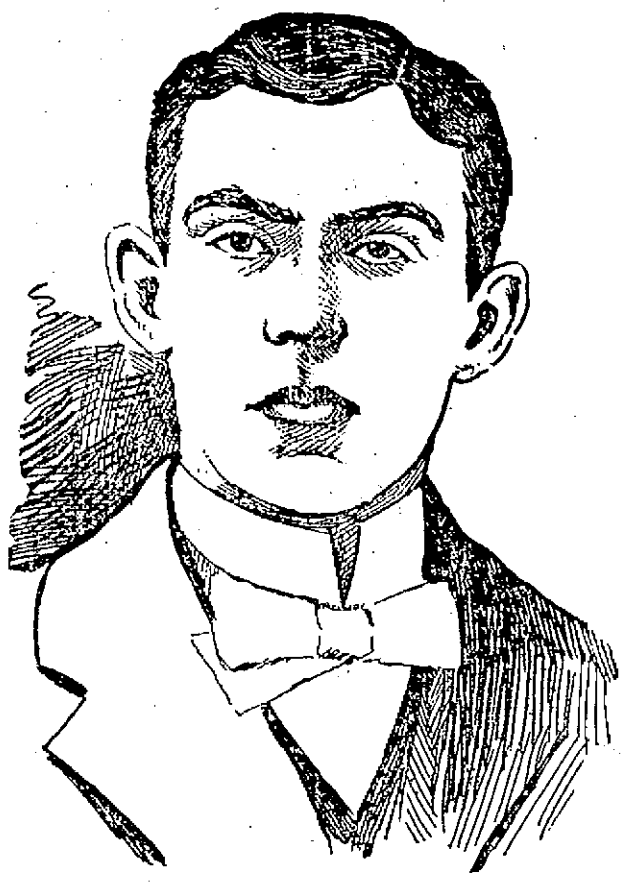
TO LET—TENEMENTS OF FIVE AND SIX rooms, three minutes from Middlesex street depot. $1.50 per week and upwards. Arnold J. Ryan, 14 Appleton street.

$7 TO $15

GOOD ORGANS for above prices. Call at once. Must have the room.

GEORGE A. GARDNER, 20 Prescott Street.

TURKEY ROASTERS, Just what you want for your Thanksgiving dinner; with one pound of 60 cent Tea at O'Brien Bros.' Tea Dealers, 77 East Merrimack street, Telephone 69-3. Free delivery.



The late J. J. TANCRED, Died November 20.

HAVE YOU BOUGHT

Thanksgiving is now with us and the thing that every one is thinking of is a good turkey dinner. From the present outlook Turkeys will be scarce and high priced. There has never been a year when there was such a shortage in the poultry line as this Thanksgiving week. Sam Pike's public market is a place where they never get left and Mr. Nutting, the hustling manager at the Prescott street market, has managed to lay in the finest line of poultry that has ever been seen in this city, and if you want to get one of these plump birds you should place your order at once as the supply is limited. Take this gentle tip and do not get left in price or quality at S. P. Pike's Market, Prescott street.

THE UNION MARKET.

Dollars in turkeys for dimes in cash at the Union market. Carloads of turkeys going fast. Call and give your orders; best quality, lowest prices in all Thanksgiving supplies. Call or send your orders to the Union market which leads all others.

FUNERAL SERVICE.

The funeral of Catherine Davis, as mentioned on third page was largely attended by friends and relatives. During the service at the church, the Gregorian chant was rendered and Mr. James E. Donnelly sang: "I Love to Hear My Saviour's Voice" in a very feeling manner. Among the many friends who attended the funeral were Mr. James Dunn and Mrs. Mary O'Brien of Pawtucket, R. I.; Mrs. Mary A. Murningham and Miss Katie McKenna of Cambridgeport, nephew and nieces of the deceased. She also leaves in this city Wm. McKenna, Geo. B. McKenna, nephews and two nieces, Mrs. John N. Box of this city and Mrs. James B. Russell of Galesburg, Ill.

The deceased was the widow of Jas. Davis, who resided on Green street, where the building now occupied by Hoyt's German Cologne factory stands. The floral tributes included spray of chrysanthemums from Mr. and Mrs. George Maguire; a pillow inscribed "Our Nana" from the Box family; a sheaf of wheat from the family of George B. McKenna; also a spray of chrysanthemums from Mr. and Mrs. John Stiles and Mrs. Emery.

DEATHS.

BROOKS—Mrs. Lydia B. Brooks, wife of James W. Brooks, the well known undertaker, died at her home, 44 West Fifth street on Saturday at the age of 67 years. She leaves a husband and two daughters, one Mrs. Lucien K. Leach of this city and Mrs. John B. Sawtelle, of Pawtucket, R. I. These were with her throughout her sickness. Mrs. Brooks has been a resident of this city 50 years, coming here when quite young and is the last of a family of eight children. She was born in Andover, Mass.

Never Returned

Sore Discharged for Years But Hood's Cured

Catarrh Entirely Overcome by This Great Medicine.

"Several years ago my mother had a sore on her back just below her neck, which did not heal but kept running for three or four years. I feared it might result in a cancer. She was induced to begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, and in a short time the sore healed and it never returned. My own use of Hood's Sarsaparilla was first for catarrh. I had this trouble very badly for several years, but after taking Hood's Sarsaparilla I was entirely cured. I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for different purposes since then with good results." R. K. CALDWELL, Box 76, West Northfield, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the Best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1, six for $5. Get Hood's.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills; easy to take, easy to operate, 25c.

A SUDDEN DEATH

John J. Tancred of the Post Office

TAKEN ILL AT DINNER ON SATURDAY

And He Died in the Evening.

John J. Tancred, aged 21 years, a clerk in the postoffice, died very suddenly at his home on Walker street Saturday night. He was taken ill while eating dinner and gradually grew worse till death relieved his suffering. Catarrh of the stomach is given as the cause of death.

He was a member of the Post Office Clerks' association, Court City of Lowell, A.O.F., Young Mens' Lyceum, Alumni of St. Patrick's school and the Alpine club.

Besides his father, he leaves two sisters, one of whom is head trimmer at Abel's millinery store and the other is a book keeper in the Merrimack Manufacturing company. He was a very popular young man and his sudden death was a great shock to his friends.

The funeral will take place from the house on Walker street at 8.30 o'clock, tomorrow morning and mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. St. Patrick's School Alumni association held a meeting yesterday and appointed a committee on resolutions and voted to send a floral tribute. The following will represent the association at the funeral: Brother Clement, Arthur Marren, William Regan, Daniel Murphy and John Sullivan.

The Catholic Lyceum also held a meeting yesterday and appointed a committee to attend the funeral.

The Alpine club will attend the funeral.

DECISION RESERVED.

IN THE LOWELL BRIBERY CASES BEFORE SUPREME COURT

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 22.—The case of the government against James C. Donovan, Edward R. Donovan, and B. D. O'Connell of Lowell, known as the Lowell bribery case, came up before the full bench of the supreme court today. The counsel on both sides presented the arguments at length and the court reserved its decision.

MRS. LAKE WILL SPEAK.

The Mathews have secured the services of Mrs. Leonora Lake of St. Louis, vice president of the C. T. A. of America for a lecture in Huntington hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 8. Mrs. Lake is one of the most forcible speakers in the country and is now lecturing in the east.

POLICE COURT.

Twenty-one drunks.

Mary Heeps received five months in the workhouse.

William Desmond was awarded six months at the state farm.

Mary Hansbury took six in jail.

Frank Hallowood goes to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Frank Rigney, whose offence was larceny, received five months in jail.

Lizette Lambert and Joseph L. Evans were arrested from a house on Rock street by Inspectors Goodwin and Donaldson, the first on a charge of fornication and the latter for alleged adultery. She was fined $20. He was held in $500 until tomorrow.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, MONDAY, AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

A large number of French Americans were in attendance at the special court of naturalization this morning.

THE SUN EXTRA 5 O'CLOCK

WITHOUT WATER

Fort Scott Loses Its Entire Supply.

THE CITY IS IN A VERY BAD WAY.

All Factories Have Suspended Work.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Fort Scott, Kansas, Nov 22.—Save for one or two artisan wells this city is without water. The continued efforts of twenty men for two days and nights who have been dynamiting the Marato river bed for water have proved fruitless and the entire city's supply is exhausted. The condition of affairs is unprecedented and many factories have been compelled to shut down.

BIG COMPANY ORGANIZED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 22.—The American Wood-working Machinery company, which has just been organized will control fourteen concerns manufacturing seven-eighths of the wood working machinery produced in the United States. The captial is $8,500,000.

BLOOMINGTON LIKES FOOTBALL.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Bloomington, Ill., Nov. 22—By a vote of eleven to three, the city council has defeated the resolution to prohibit football within the city limits.

MRS. JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY

DIED AT HER HOME IN BOSTON THIS MORNING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Mrs. John Boyle O'Reilly, widow of the late patriot, poet and editor, died this morning after a short illness of pneumonia.

EXCEPTIONS WAIVED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Counsel for Lorenzo W. Barnes, convicted of the murder of Farmer Benjamin Dean in Maynard last December, has waived the exceptions raised by him at the trial.

ANOTHER SCHOONER SUNK.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

New London, Conn., Nov. 22.—The schooner Dreadnaught from New York for Stonington was run into and sunk by the iron tug John Gaynor off Bartlett's Reef this morning. The crew was saved.

FARMER BUNCOED.

CHARLES SWEETSER OF CHELMSFORD MOURNS $3500.

Charles Sweetser a farmer of Chelmsford Centre, is the victim of John Reed, the bunco man who was arrested at Clinton. Sweetser lost $3500 on the swindle. The old dodge of using two tin boxes was worked on Sweetser. A warrant for Reed is out.

THE DOUBLE BREASTED SACK

Is enjoying a renewal of its old time popularity among the smart dressers this season.

We are prepared to please the critical trade with our showing of novelties.

The favorite cloths are Cheviots and Undressed Worsteds in blue and black. In addition to these our line of Fancy Scotch Cheviots and Mixtures is varied and select, with plain colors. Striped trousers are in good taste.

$7.50 to $18.

MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.

Fashion Corner. Opp. City Hall.

MISS MAUDE NUGENT, The Gifted Author of "Sweet Rosie O'Grady," and its companion song, "Mamie Reilly." Miss Nugent appeared at Music Hall last week and made a decided hit.

LATEST

THE THORN TRIAL

Mrs. Nack's Lover Again Appears Before Court.

JUDGE SMITH IS ILL WITH MALARIA.

Judge Maddox Will Conduct Trial.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Nov. 22.—Martin Thorn, indicted with Mrs. Augusta Nack, for the murder of William Guldensuppe, was again placed on trial today. There was a repetition of the morning scenes which marked the opening of the first trial. The building was crowded. A new witness is Mrs. Ida Zeigler who will swear that in March Mrs. Nack tried to hire her cottage at West Farm telling her Guldensuppe was to live with her. Judge Smith is ill with malaria and has sent for Justice Maddox to take his place and conduct the trial.

A DECISIVE BLOW

AGAINST SPAIN WILL BE STRUCK BY INSURGENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Havana, Nov. 22.—Gen. Pando started by train Saturday to take charge of the campaign against the insurgents. It is stated on god authority that he was commissioned by Marshall Blanco, the new captain-general to enter into communication with the insurgent leaders with a view of arranging peace. An insurgent spy, Cabillero, has been released and sent back to the insurgents to try and arrange some peace negotiations. Current reports among the friends of the insurgents are that the leaders hope to strike a decisive blow at Spain before Congress meets.

DURRANT'S CASE

SOPHISTS TRYING TO HAVE HIS SENTENCE COMMUTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 22.—The sophists of San Francisco are taking an active interest in the fate of Theodore Durrant. It is a tenet of their faith that capital punishment is wrong, and they are getting up a petition praying Governor Budd to stay the execution and commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

A SCHOONER SUNK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Nov. 22.—The two-masted schooner, F. A. Pike of Calais, Me., was sunk while entering the harbor this morning, as the result of a collision between her and the steamer Menemsha. The Pike went to the bottom immediately. The crew were saved. The vessel is valued at $2500. It is uninsured.

DEMOCRATS, REGISTER MONDAY.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

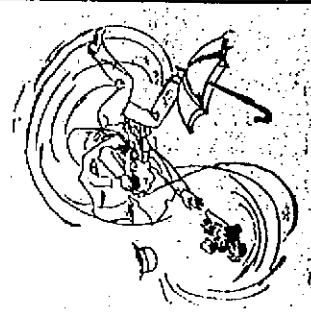
FOOTBALL.

The Big Seven won their game Saturday by forfeit as only half of the West Ends appeared on the grounds ready to play and their captain forfeited the game to the Big Seven. We will play the same team on the ball grounds November 25, in the morning at 9.30 o'clock. It will be worth going to see as the teams are evenly matched.

—Big Seven A. C.

The junior Y.P.S.C.E. of the First Trinitarian Congregational church held a sociable at Mechanics hall Saturday afternoon.

REGISTRATION MONDAY FROM 1 TO 3, AND 7 TO 9 P. M.



A FEW

Cold weather specialties for out-of-door workers.

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EXTRA HEAVY REEFERS, of Friezes and Chinchillas, velvet and ulster collars,

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BUTCHERS ALL WOOL BLUE FROCKS, very full and long.

BUTCHERS DRIVING ULSTERS of Dickey cassimere and all wool blue frocking.

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No 166 CENTRAL STREET.

HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

Several churches observed yesterday as Hospital Sunday for the benefit of the Lowell General hospital. The Eliot church took the lead. The pastor of the Kirk street church preached an eloquent sermon on temperance.

Money Deposited

On or before Friday December 3rd, in the Savings Department of the

Traders' National Bank

Will draw interest from December 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi-annually.

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Don't Miss This Snap

Tomorrow, Tuesday, Nov. 23d

We Will Sell at "Special Sale Prices" Nearly 200, regular $1.25

SOFA PILLOWS

Or Large Chair Cushions at only

71c. For Choice.

The coverings are the handsomest and most durable possible to procure.

The designs are unique and will beautify any room. The sizes are 17x23. The stuffing is a combination of the very best ABSORBENT materials which will not mat by use. The rich coverings are equal to, or better than silk.

Every miss, maiden, matron, man or boy would use one of these Pillows or Cushions, if they can get one to use.

This is no regular sale, but

"To Break the Backbone of Tuesday,"

the dullest day in the week. We offer this "rich, rare" bargain to all who come as long as the stock lasts at 71c. for choice. The regular price is $1.25.

Large Ladies, wearing 46 and 48 bust measure Wrappers, will be glad to know that we have just added to our Flannellette Wrapper stock new styles at $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 each, in all sizes, 32 to 48. All made from this warm material. No trouble to show whether you buy or not.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

CENTRAL STREET,

THE PLACE OF RARE BARGAINS, "WHICH DIDN'T BUST UP."

LARGE GOLD MINE

Sea Water Said to Contain Gold.

A MACHINE FOR EXTRACTING IT NOW ERECTED.

On Shore of Passamaquody Bay.

Middletown, Conn., Nov. 22.—The announcement of the discovery of a commercially profitable process for the extraction of gold and silver from sea water by Rev. Prescott F. Jernegan, formerly pastor of the Baptist church in this city, has created great interest in the scientific world, as the discovery tends to revolutionize the present ratios of value of these two metals.

The process was discovered in the summer of 1896, and has been perfected by numberless experiments made since then in the Irish Sea, German Ocean, English Channel, Long Island Sound, Narragansett Bay, Passamaquoddy Bay, and the South Pacific Ocean. In all, 160 tests have been made, showing no appreciable difference in the quantitative presence of gold and silver. The average amount is from one-half to one grain of gold to a ton of sea water, or 76,000,000,000 city, a deacon in his church and for ocean. The amount of silver is from one to two grains per ton of water.

Mr. Jernegan associated with him in these experiments A. B. Ryan of this of tons of gold from the waters of the the past six months they have been perfecting the apparatus for the extracting of the metals. They have purchased two tide mills on Passamaquoddy Bay, and have now fifty hands engaged in surrounding their plant with a ten-foot fence, so as to keep out inquisitive callers.

The process is a close secret, but the water, which at high tide is twenty feet above low water mark, recedes as the tide flows out through a series of twenty identical pieces of self-operating apparatus, leaving the silver and gold at the bottom. One hundred and fifty of these gold traps are to be erected at once in addition. So easily operated are these machines that three men could handle 150 of them and the cost of obtaining the metal is very small. Each tide brings new wealth and the supply is inexhaustible. It is expected that within a few weeks this plant will yield $100 a day and before next spring $1000 a day, as new machinery is being constantly put in.

The process of securing the metals from sea water is so simple that if the secret were revealed any person at a small cost might operate his own gold mine on the sea shore. The works are being closely guarded by armed watchmen, and the Electrolytic Marine Salts company has been incorporated in the state of Maine to develop this discovery. The capital stock has been placed at $10,000,000. So confident is the company, of which Mr. Ryan is president, of the value of this discovery, that they have already refused $1,000,000 for the secret.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20.

Locks & Canals to Harry L. Stanley, lot of land on Tremont street, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Upham avenue, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Court street, $1.

May Cathcart, admin., to Ella A. Favor, William Cathcart estate on Jewett avenue, $1650.

Walter H. McDaniels, trustee, to Finley Chesholm, lot of land on Aiken avenue, $1.

Locks & Canals to Sophronie Desmais lot of land on Lakeview avenue, $1.

Harry S. Allen to George W. Bagley, lot of land at Boulevard extension, $1.

Harry C. Fuller to Lizzie M. Heery, land with buildings on Parkview avenue, $1.

Shepard, Russell & Fuller to William B. Hutchins, land on Parkview avenue, $1.

Faulkner mills to Sterling mills, lot of land on River Meadow brook, $1.

American Bolt Co., to Sterling mills, lot of land on Sherman street, $3670.

Hiram Whitney to Elisee Soucy, land with buildings on Riverside Park, $850.

DRACUT.

Arthur Lyman, trustee, to James Bennett, lot of land at Kenwood, $1.

Charles Callahan to James Bennett, lot of land at West Kenwood, $1.

Charles Calahan to Maria Bennett, lot of land at West Kenwood, $1.

T. C. Lee, to William J. Coughlin, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to John J. Donovan, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Stephen J. Johnson, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to John J. Hogan lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Fred C. Miller lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to Constantine O'Donnell, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

T. C. Lee to George M. Harrigan, lot of land on Pleasant street, $1.

George B. Coburn to Joseph McIntire, lot of land on Beacham avenue, $1.

BILLERICA.

William B. Moffat to Peter A. Fay, lot of land on Maple street, $1.

Jacob W. Wilbur to W. B. Moffat, lot of land at Fordway, Park, $1.

WILMINGTON.

James B. Wiggin to Ella A. Shattuck, land with buildings, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Charles W. S. Adams et ux., to M. E. Morris, lot of land at North Chelmsford, $1.

Fred G. McGregor to Endora P. Parker, lot of land on Butman farm, $1.

CARLISLE.

Mary A. Duren to William H. Simonds, lot of land, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

Arthur Beaupré to Hiram Whitney, land with buildings on Riverside Park, $1.

Lewis D. Gumb to Town of Tewksbury, lot of land at South Lowell, $2000.

Stimulate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c, 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

MRS. JARLEY'S WAX WORKS.

MOST SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT OF KIND EVER GIVEN IN PORTLAND.

"A prophet is not without honor save in his own country."

As this comes to mind, one tries to reckon on seeing the audiences which honor Miss McCobb at home, what must be the tribute paid to her in strange countries—in what ratio the honors increase toward her as she proceeds on her "strolling tours."

Here and there one hears a stranger (not a Portlander) say: "Oh, yes I've seen the Jarley wax work show; I forget just who it was; somewhere, I forget just where."

Such vagueness does not refer to the true and only Jarley of Miss McCobb's creation. One never forgets who was nor where was, the Mrs. Jarley whom she personates nor that evening of merit.—Portland Press.

The management of the Old Ladies' Home Festival have secured Miss McCobb to give one of her unique exhibitions in aid of fthe home, December 2, and tickets can be secured now at Durant's, jeweller.

HENRY WATTERSON

TO SPEAK ON LINCOLN AT MANCHESTER, N. H.

The members of the Manchester Federation of Women's clubs have shown commendable enterprise in securing Henry Watterson as a feature of their course of instructive entertainments. It is not often that the people of Manchester have such an opportunity as is here presented. Colonel Watterson is beyond question the most striking and forceful personality in American journalism and he is at the same time a most graceful and eloquent public speaker. His subject, Abraham Lincoln, is an inspiring one and is certain to be treated in a most masterful and entertaining manner.

GIFTS TO THE HOSPITAL.

The following gifts are acknowledged by St. John's hospital through the Messenger published by the Ladies of Charity: Basket of pears, Mrs. E. C. Coffin; 318 Andover street; basket of pears, Dr. R. E. Bell; $20, Mr. John Powell, 76 Agawam street; one bushel of turnips, Mr. Shanley; pillow slips, Mrs. John Powell, 76 Agawam street; reading matter, Mr. Christopher Green, Blanchard place, E. Merrimack street; one barrel of flour, some tea and 25 pounds of sugar, Mr. Buckley; one bushel of apples and quinces, an unknown friend; one-half bushel of pears, Mr. J. K. Fellows; one and one-half bushels of pears, Putnam & Son; ten gallons of wine, Rev. Martin J. Lee; two gallons of piccalilli, Mrs. Miles F. Brennan; two gallons of preserved pears, box of clothing for the poor, children's books and pencils, and towels and napkins for the Children's ward, Mrs. Elias A. McQuade of Bridge street; clothing for the poor, Miss Gregg; a beautiful parrot, Mr. James Monohan; two canaries, Mr. N. Allen; material for bandages, Mrs. Christopher Green, Blanchard place, E. Merrimack street.

For all of the above very timely and useful gifts, the Sisters extend their heartfelt thanks and also wish to express their gratitude to Mr. Frank J. Doherty for painting gratuitously a new cupboard for the operating room.

A POPULAR BUILDER.

Among the builders of the city there are few who have built more houses within the past year or two than Francis T. Wilson who resides at 80 Dover street. Among his most recent buildings are nine houses for Mr. Rodliff on Jenness street; three for A. C. Stevens on McKinley street; two in Kennedson court; five for A. G. Ryan in Pawtuckville; one for Rusell & Fuller; three at the Oaklands; one on Bellevue street; one on Hastings street; one on Orleans street; one on Ennell street and one on Midland street, with several others in different parts of the city. He employs a large force of men and always works with them himself.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Mr. Editor—Will you please inform me when the civil service examinations will be held? —Subscriber.

The following notice has been sent to the press, but the dates have not been issued as yet. You can find out by aplying to Mr. Conant:

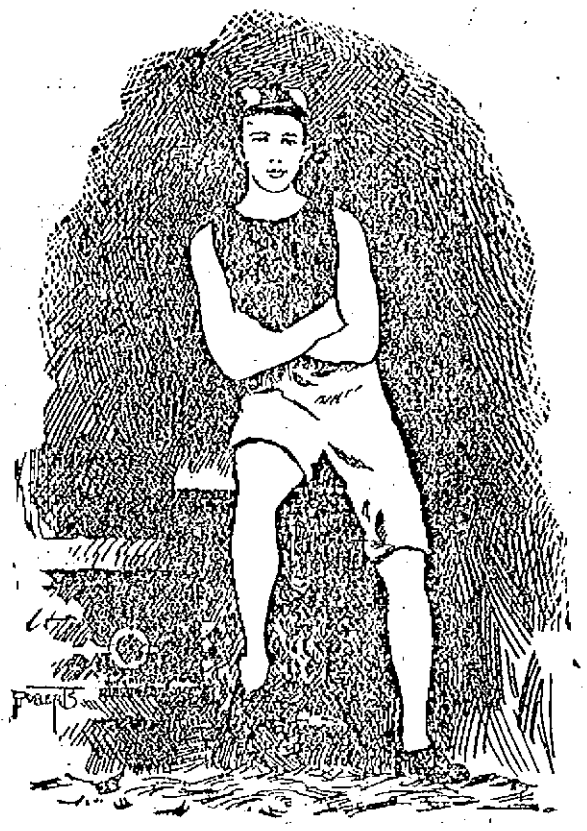
The Massachusetts Civil Service Commissioners are about to hold examinations for positions in the civil engineering forces of the cities of the Commonwealth and are ready to receive applications from persons who wish to take examinations.

Citizens of the United States who have been residents of Massachusetts for the past year and of the city of Lowell for the six months last past, have a right to apply. Blank applications may be obtained of C. H. Conant secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners for the city of Lowell.

The applications, after being properly filled out, must be sent to the Civil Service Commissioners, State House Boston.

EXPRESS WAGON ROBBED.

Two bundles were taken from a wagon belonging to the New York and Boston Despatch company on Central street this morning.



THOMAS KELLEY, Lowell's Most Popular Runner.

UNITED ORGANIZATION

OF THE DESCENDANTS OF THE REVOLUTION.

The union between the Sons of the American Revolution and the Sons of the Revolution seems at last to have been accomplished, the new constitution of the "Society of the American Revolution" being accepted by the two organizations. This is at it should be. Through one strong, national organization can the descendants of the patriots of '76 best accomplish that for which they band together and which, in the phraseology of the new constitution, is to perpetuate the memory of the men who, in the military, naval or civil service of the Colonies and of the Continental Congress, by their acts or counsel, achieved the independence of this country; to further proper celebrations of the anniversaries of the birthday of Washington and of prominent events connected with the War of the Revolution; to collect, publish, and secure for preservation the rolls, records and other documents relating to that period; to mark by appropriate monuments historic places; to impress upon the present and future generations the patriotic spirit which actuated our ancestors in establishing the republic of the United States.

THE SEVERE NORTHERN WINTERS

Experienced for the past few years, and with such a changeable climate, have a tendency to raise havoc with the Throat and Lungs, subjecting people to attacks of Asthma, Bronchitis, and acute and chronic coughs, at first a harmless cold or cough, which was allowed to take its course. Always keep Cleveland's Lung Healer on hand. Call on F. H. Butler & Co., 205 Central street and 391 Middlesex street and get a trial bottle free. Large size, 25c.

THANKSGIVING ATTRACTIONS.

Thanksgiving Day in the Y.M.C.A. hall there will be an old-fashioned dinner for young men who reside in other cities and towns, but who are unable to leave for home.

Thanksgiving Eve in Huntington hall the veteran firemen will have a ball.

In their quarters in Dracut, members of Bachman hose company will have a ball Thanksgiving night.

Out-of-town visitors will be entertained at the rooms of the Lowell chess and checker club Thanksgiving Day.

Entries closed at 10 o'clock Saturday night for the cross country run of the members of the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium Thanksgiving Day.

In Thomas Talbot Memorial hall, at North Billerica, Thanksgiving night, there will be an entertainment in aid of St. Anne's mission.

Thanksgiving Eve there will be a kirmess in Associate hall in aid of the Working Girls' home of St. Patrick's parish.

Thanksgiving afternoon and evening, there will be dancing in Associate hall under the direction of the Clover club.

J. A. Bartlett will be general manager of the assembly which Chelmsford Centre residents will have in the town hall Thanksgiving night.

INJUNCTION HEARING.

The hearing on the petition for a permanent injunction restraining the city of Lowell from making any payments on account of the recent outing of the Lowell and Lawrence city governments will be held at Cambridge on the first Monday in December.

MUSIC HALL.

"THE FAST MAIL."

Lincoln J. Carter, the young Chicagoan, author of the melodrama, "The Fast Mail," is a remarkable young fellow, on the La Inel pattern, in variety of accomplishments. He wrote his own play, and it's a good one of its class, he acts a principal part and does it well, he paints all his own scenery, constructs all his elaborate mechanical effects, and designs all the pictorial work used for advertising "The Fast Mail." Truly a bright young fellow, who creates his own career without trampling over anybody else.

"The Fast Mail" will appear at Music Hall Thursday, Friday and Saturday with matinees Thanksgiving and Saturday.

ORCHESTRAL SOCIETY

FIRST RECITAL IN ODD FELLOWS TEMPLE.

The first recital of the Orchestral society was held yesterday at Odd Fellows Temple was pronounced a success, highly creditable to the society, and the artists who participated. The program, as printed in Saturday's Sun, was rendered in grand style although it was of the most difficult character. Mr. Carl Barleben proved a master hand at the violin, his numbers winning the most enthusiastic applause. He responded to an encore and repeated some of his more artistic movements in a bewitching manner. Miss Avis C. Day, soprano, and Miss Helen Day, contralto, each gave a song and joined in a duet from Semiramide, an encore being demanded for the duet. The first named has a clever execution and the latter a pleasing contralto voice. As an encore for the duet, the audience was favored with a devout rendering of "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" set to the music of one of Lassen's songs.

The playing of the orchestra was probably the most effective it ever accomplished. Mr. Borjes as leader did his work well as usual and Sidney R. Fleet was equally efficient as accompanist.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 20, 1897.

Population, 87,000; total deaths, 42; deaths under five, 20; infectious diseases, 4; acute lung diseases, 8; croup membraneous, 2. Death rate for the week, 25.1, against 18.5 and 20.3 for the previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Typhoid fever 2; scarlet fever, 1; diphtheria, 9; membraneous croup, 6.

THE BRIBERY CASES.

The O'Connell and Donovan bribery cases are before the Supreme court in Cambridge today. Mr. O'Connell will argue his own case and Mr. Burke appears for the Donovans.

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THE MODERN CLEANER
WILL NOT WEAR OUT ANY SURFACE.
All Grocers.

DR. EVANS' CHIVALRY.

How He Assisted Ex-Empress Eugenie to Escape From Paris.

Naturally the most interesting part of the career of Dr. Evans was the share which he took in assisting the French ex-Empress Eugenie to escape from Paris. According to the story told by Dr. Evans while in Philadelphia in September last, the empress, accompanied by Mme. Le Breton, Prince Metternich and Signor Nigra, the Italian minister, attempted to escape by running down a private staircase leading to the palace gardens, but the mob was before her. Thereupon they turned back, traversed the gallery of the Louvre to the door leading to the Palace St. Germain Auxerois, opposite the church of that name, from which building a narrow passage led to the street. There they could hear the shouts of the mob, and, later, they plunged into the crowd. The empress was soon afterward recognized by a street urchin, but the lad's shout was not noticed, and the empress and Mme. Le Breton were thrust by their companions into a cab. They soon discovered that they had only 8 francs between them, probably not enough to pay the driver, and so, in order to avoid a scene and the possible capture of the empress, they alighted and walked on. Suddenly the empress realized that they were near the house of Dr. Evans, and they hurried to him for assistance. This was immediately forthcoming. Mrs. Evans was out of the city, and so the empress obtained her room, and clothing from her wardrobe was selected as a disguise. First the doctor tried to get a pass to leave Paris, but failed. Every exit was guarded by troops. Happily he found that one of his friends, also a patient, was in command of the troops at the bridge of Neuilly, and by some means he succeeded in informing the latter that he would like to pass over the bridge that night with two of his female patients. The empress was to play the part of a feeble woman who was being taken away to a sanitarium, while Mme. Le Breton was to personate her nurse.

When all the plans were completed, Dr. Evans, at dusk, placed the empress and Mme. Le Breton in his carriage and drove to the bridge. There it was stopped by the men on duty, but the nerve of the doctor stood him in good stead, and he succeeded in passing through the troops. Eventually they made their way to Derville, after two days of anxious traveling during which the fugitives were several times stopped and questioned. The doctor was ready for every emergency, and the empress passed on without being recognized. At Derville Dr. Evans went to Sir John Burgoyne, owner of the yacht Gazelle, and after with difficulty persuading him that he had the empress in his charge Eugenie was embarked on board the yacht and crossed the channel in a gale. Finally, on Thursday, Sept. 8, the empress met her son, the ill fated Prince Louis, at Brighton, England. Dr. Evans rented for them the house at Chislehurst, where the empress still lives, where Napoleon III died and where the body of the prince imperial is resting.—New York Tribune.

A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY.

Patriotic Women Lead a Movement to Establish Such an Institution.

The oft agitated question of establishing in the city of Washington a great national university on the lines suggested by President Washington at last has taken more definite form than in the past, and a number of representative American women have taken hold of the project with a determination to push it to a successful conclusion if possible. They have started out in a practical manner by seeking to raise the first $250,000 necessary for the erection of an administration building to form the nucleus of the university, and hope to be able to lay the cornerstone on Feb. 29, 1899. Their purpose in the meantime is to urge the matter continuously on the attention of women all over the country. They intend likewise to interest all the school children in the work.

Mrs. Allen A. Richardson of Boston, chief organizer of the movement, writing to George H. Bardes of Washington of the plans thus far formed, said: "The patriotic women of America are to build the administration building, and they propose to make Feb. 22, 1893, the nation's first offering day for this purpose, asking no large contributions, begging nothing. America's 70,000,000 people must build this great monument. If the 13,000,000 children in the public schools in America would give an offering of a penny each on Washington's birthday, they would raise a sum sufficient to erect the building and endow it. Let us, then, join hands and have an American university, American sciences and American ideas for American citizens."—New York Tribune.

Attacked by Water Dogs.

Humphrey Sullivan of Lawrenceburg, Ind., a painter, fell into the water recently while fishing and was at once attacked by a large number of water dogs, which fastened their little sharp teeth in his clothing and were attempting to pull him under the water. His cries for help soon brought his companions to his rescue, and he was lifted from the water into the boat with nearly 20 of the water dogs hanging to him.

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THANKSGIVING TURKEYS.

WE are making every effort to far out-do every previous attempt in the way of Thanksgiving display. Of course Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks, Geese and all kinds of Game will be provided in endless variety; but in addition, our vegetable department will contain every variety of ordinary vegetables obtainable in Boston, New York and other markets, and besides specialties seldom found except in our establishments. The same will be true of Fruit, and our Cheese department contains every kind of Cheese that the most fastidious epicure could wish.

Most readers of this "Ad." have seen a Thanksgiving display and experienced the rush at our establishment, and we need only say it is advisable to do your buying or ordering as early as possible, if possible, on TUESDAY. We close—as is our custom on holidays—1-2 day Thanksgiving, but open until midnight the day before and until ten Tuesday evening. We shall have half a dozen extra delivery teams and will afford everybody the most liberal treatment in the way of delivery.

We are providing about two carloads more of Thanksgiving Poultry this year than last for our Lowell and Worcester establishments—and if low prices will do it, every pound will be sold.

Come and See the Show.

THE BANNER MARKET AND PUBLIC MARKET

Banner Market, 68 Prescott Street, and Public Market 522 Middlesex Street, Cor. Howard. Telephone 29-3.

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New upright piano, handsome case, including book, stool, scarf, and 12 lessons free for
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$265.00.
Will let it go on easy installments. The pianos that were out on rent for three months while our building was being remodelled have come in and we shall sell them at a sacrifice to make room for goods now on the way from our factory. New and second-hand organs at all prices. Square pianos taken in trade; also orders left with us for tuning and repairing will receive our prompt attention, and our prices the lowest. The public will find our store open every evening, so whether you wish to buy or not, call and see us.
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THE FAST MAIL.
10 feet of special scenery. Flight of the fast mail. Niagara Falls by moonlight, with boiling mist. Practical working engine and 14 freight cars, with illuminated caboose. The days dawn. Realistic river scene and steamboat explosion, and other startling effects.

CONSUMPTION
To THE EDITOR—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy free to any of your readers who have consumption if they will send me their express and post-office address. Respectfully, T. A. Slocum, M. C., No. 183 Pearl Street, New York.

POLITICAL FIELD

Registration Now the Important Factor.

VOTERS DROPPED — SLOW TO COME FORWARD.

Mail and L'Etoile Screaming in Unison.

In local politics, registration is the question of the hour. The numbers being registered are rather disappointing to th edemocratic hustlers who find it hard to reach the unregistered. The latter must have a very low appreciation of the value of the franchise which gives them a share in the sovereignty of the people and as much power individually as any other citizen in the land. One vote is just as good as another. One vote may decide the election of a mayor an alderman or a councilman and yet there are, it appears men who do not care enough for that power to ask for it. One vote defeated Hon. Fisher H. Pearson when he ran for alderman and that is why he is hustling now to get every democrat eligible for the franchise registered. He feels, perhaps, more keenly on account of his experience the value and the potency of one vote, although he is sanguine of being electel by a good majority over his opponent on the republican ticket.

Who that opponent will be is yet undecided, but the probabilities point toward Col. Bennett. "He is the logical candidate, he is boomed for the office, as such by the leading men in the party, and because they claim no other candidate would have any chance of election.

It is rumored that the Lawton men have appointed a delegation to wait upon the Wilson managers to ask them to withdraw their candidate while on the other hand the Wilson men cannot understand why Mr. Lawton or anybody else should under estimate their candidates's strength as shown in the caucuses last year and at the polls when elected alderman. The managers of the Wilson campaign are to request the Lawton men to pull their candidate out of the contest and give Mr. Wilson a fair chance to beat Col. Bennett in the caucuses. Mr. Wilson thing he could do this easily and "that as Lawton was the last to enter the fight, he should be the first to get out. He is the logical candidate to back out because of being the weakest, the newest, the least deserving."

At the two sessions of the registrars of voters, Saturday, 95 names were placed on the list. So far 346 names have been added to the lists, divided by wards as follows:

Ward One, 34; Ward Two, 46; Ward Three, 45; Ward Four, 40; Ward Five, 69; Ward Six, 42; Ward Seven, 28; Ward Eight, 25; Ward Nine, 31. It will be seen that democratic Ward Five heads the list in the number of names added and republican Ward Eight is at the foot.

Fred Rourke of Rourke & Sullivan, coal dealers, is the latest candidate for purchasing agent. He is a capable young business man who has served as representative and as Common Councilman to the satisfaction of his constituents.

Dick Dobbins will be interested to know that Ex-Alderman William L. Hills was one of the cheif boomers at the Wilson meeting. And others will be interested to know that Councilman Patrick F. Delehenty was there as large as life and as natural as a head of cabbage.—Sunday Press.

A meeting of the democratic candidates for the Common Council, Overseer of the Poor, and School Board was held in the citizens' committee room Sunday afternoon and the following officers were mutually agreed upon for the caucus to be held next Friday evening: Chairman, John J. Mullaney; secretary, Dennis J. Pendergast; ballot distributor, Patrick F. Grady.

Dick Dobbins will be interested to know that ex-Alderman William L. Hills was one of the chief boomers at the Wilson meeting. And others will be interested to know that ex-Councilman Patrick F. Delahanty was there as large as life and as natural as a head of cabbage.—Sunday Press.

Editor of the Lowell Sun:

Mr. Charles Callahan is a candidate for superintendent of streets. Mr. Callahan is well qualified for the position, having conducted a hardware store for many years, and also having been in the real estate business and that of a builder of houses, of which he owns many at the present time. He was also in the grocery business for a number of years and left it to enter the hardware trade. He has a general knowledge of city supplies that is rarely found in the ordinary business man and besides he is a man whose honesty is above question.

—Voter.

"The Mayor is simply a man between you and your pocket-books," says Col. Jim to the taxpayers.—Sunday Press.

Supt. Bray says that somebody told Willie Wilder that cold water would make steam if it was boiled and that is all Willie knows about steam heating.—Sunday Press.

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FUNERALS.

JAGGER—The funeral services of Rev. W. S. Jagger of Graniteville took place Saturday morning. Services were held in the church, conducted by Rev. David Ela, D.D., of Hudson, a personal friend of the deceased. There were many manifestations of sorrow at the grave.

FARLEY—At St. Peter's church Saturday requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McDonough for the repose of the soul of Frank J. Farley. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the service and at the funeral. The bearers were James Cahill, James Casey, Thomas Casey, Patrick Farley, George Garrahan and George Whalen. The ushers were Alderman Charles H. Cosgrove and Andrew A. Gray. Dr. T. F. Cuff had charge of the funeral arrangements. Among the floral offerings were a crescent and star from the family; basket of flowers, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McAloon, pillow, Mr. and Mrs. James Farley; pillow, Miss Bridget O'Mara; dove on a base of flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Mara; spray of roses Miss Margaret Neville; spray of carnations, Miss Maggie Higgins; spray of chrysanthemums, Miss Annie Casserly; spray of roses, Miss Mary Guthrie; cross and crown, Miss Mary Casey.

HOLDEN—The funeral of Nellie Holden occurred yesterday afternoon from her parents' home in Murphy's yard, off Fenwick street and was largely attended. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Kane, Michael Fleming, Edward White, John Crowley, William Ambrose and Walter Queenan. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

KENNEDY—The funeral of Margaret Kennedy occurred yesterday afternoon from her late home, 131 Suffolk street. The bearers were Michael Dean, James Saunders, William Barry, Cornelius Sullivan, Daniel Hart and John McCarthy. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery Rev. Fr. Rourke conducted the service.

CHURCH—The funeral services of H. C. Church took place at the late home of the deceased, 444 Fletcher street, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. W. A. Bartlett officiating. Dr. Sullivan L. Ward, assisted by Edward Ellingwood, had charge. There was singing by a quartette consisting of Messrs. Murphy and Adams, Miss Hathaway and Mrs. Jenkins. The bearers were his two sons and Messrs. A. C. Cumnock, A. G. Pollard, Jacob Rogers, and E. M. Tucke. Interment was in the Lowell cemetery.

The directors of the Central Savings bank, a delegation of firemen and another of insurance men attended the funeral.

MILLER—The funeral of Mary A. Miller took place yesteray afternoon from 179 Fayette street. The bearers were Thomas Miles, Dominick Duffy, John Duffy, Cornelius McGuirn, Patrick Newell and Thomas Conroy. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

DAVIS—At St. Peter's church this morning, solemn requiem mass was celebrated for the repose of the soul of the late Catherine Davis. The celebrant of the mass was Rev. Fr. McKenna, Rev. Fr. McManus, deacon, and Rev. Fr. McDonough sub-deacon. The honorary pall bearers were Patrick McCarthy, Andrew Haley, Joseph McAleer, Joseph Tyrrell, Joseph Morrison and Mr. Hogan. The active pall bearers were James Flynn, William Chambers, Michael O'Brien, John Cleary, Patrick F. Brady, and Thomas O'Neil. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery, Rev. Fr. McKenna officiated.

DEATHS.

HUGHES—Mrs. Anne Hughes died at her home 11 Mill street. She leaves five daughters and one son.

RICHARDSON—George H. Richardson of this city died at Haverhill about 1 p. m., Saturday, from catarrhal pneumonia, aged 54 years. He had been doing some clerical work in the registrars' office, but went to Haverhill about a fortnight ago, sick. He was 54 years of age at the time of his death, and leaves a wife, two daughters, and one son. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity, a past commander of Post 185, G.A.R., a past grand of Lowell lodge, I.O.O.F., and a past noble commander of Washington Commandery, Golden Cross. In all three of the last named orders he has been prominent and active, but for the past few years had been in failing health. He was an attendant of the John street Congregational church.

O'BRIEN—Ellen O'Brien, wife of Patrick O'Brien, died at her home, 10 Riverside avenue, Saturday afternoon, aged 59 years.

McGARRAHAN—Ann McGarrahan, aged 36 years, wife of James Garrahan, died Saturday morning at 211 Dutton street.

BRADLEY—Lizzie Bradley, aged 38 years, died this morning at her home No. 6, rear of 230 Fayette street. Funeral Wednesday morning from the Immaculate Conception church.

GEORGE DAVIES INJURED.

George Davies of Greenwood street fell down a flight of stairs Friday evening. On examination he was found to be suffering from two broken ribs and a bad scalp wound. He was also injured internally and it will be several weeks before he will be able to attend to his business.

IS YOUR NAME ON THE CHECK LIST? IF NOT, GO TO THE REGISTRARS' OFFICE, CITY HALL, MONDAY, AND HAVE IT PUT ON.

The Weather Prophets.

Fellers prophesyin snow—
Western blizzards too.
(Course these fellers allus know
What the Lord'll do!)
When they tell me I'll be froze,
Then I hunt my summer clozel

'Long in spring they took an said
All the signs wuz plain,
By the queer skies overhead—
Forty days o' rain!
But we had—fer all our fears—
Driest weather in ten years!

Then, in summer, we'd be dry—
Not a drap 'ud fall—
But the rain come from the sky
Like 'twould drown us all!
An some weak, believin fellers
Didn't have no rain umbrellers!

Allus settin on the fence,
Tellin us God's will!
Rather trust in Providence
An take my chances still!
When they tell me I'll be froze,
Watch me hunt my summer clozel

—F. L. Stanton in Atlanta Constitution.

CATHOLIC NOTES.

Rev. Fr. Lamothe, O.M.I., announces that $4200 was realized in the recent bazaar of St. Joseph's church.

Rev. Fr. Emard, O.M.I., has returned from Louisville, Ky.

Rev. Fr. Joyce, O.M.I., announced at the Immaculate Conception church yesterday that on collection Sundays seats will be free at that church

Active work is being done for the bazaars to be held by the Sacred Heart and St. Michael's parishes.

Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., celebrated high mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception yesterday. The sermon was preached by Rev. Fr. Stanley, O.M.I., of Dublin, Ireland. His text referred to the general judgment and his sermon was quite forcible.

The new board of government of the Catholic Lyceum was installed yesterday. President Michael Donohoe installed the new president, James J. Brown, who installed the other officers.

A novena will be commenced at the Church of the Immaculate Conception November 29.

Next Wednesday evening the international kirmess will be held at Associate hall under the auspices of St. Patrick's parish.

DEMOCRATS, REGISTER MONDAY.

A FINE PRESENT.

A surprise party was given to Mrs. M. J. Moulton Saturday night at 94 First streets. About 100 attended. James N. Gookin made the presentation speech. The gift to Mrs. Moulton was a beautiful parlor set of five pieces. The prize winners at whist were Dan McKenna and Miss Katie Conway. There were piano solos by James N. Gookin, songs by Walter Hickey and Thomas McGinn; duet by Miss Birdie Topis and Miss Katie Conway; song by Major Wright.

FALLS ON AN ICY SIDEWALK.

Mrs. Nellie Sullivan fell on an icy sidewalk on West Third street Saturday evening. She escaped broken bones, but was so badly bruised and prostrated that the ambulance was called to take her to her home on Fulton street.

KILLED BY GAS.

Providence, Nov. 22.—Sunday morning Patrick Davey, 27 years old, and Thomas Davey, 37 years of age, were found in their room in an unconscious condition from inhalation of illuminating gas which escaped from a jet accidentally left half open. Doctors were summoned, but before they arrived Patrick died. The physicians worked for several hours over Thomas, and he was finally pronounced as probably out of danger. It is supposed that Patrick, who was the last to go to bed, after shutting off the gas, hit the stopcock and partially opened it.

REGISTRATION MONDAY FROM 1 TO 3, AND 7 TO 9 P. M.

CHRISTMAS SALE.

The W.C.T.U. gave a turkey dinner and supper at their rooms in Bridge street Saturday afternoon and night, and also held a Christmas sale. The sales tables were managed by the following ladies: Pound table, Mrs. L. M. Dennis; flower table, Mrs. G. W. Kershaw; Christmas sale, Mrs. J. M. Wilson.

The Wood Sisters' big spectacular burlesque with Everett and Mack's Irish Comedy company open their engagement at Music Hall tonight. They appear in a double bill, presenting "A Trip to The Casino" and "The King of the Isle of Lowell."

Court Samuel de Champlain, A.O.F., will hold a festival December 30, for the benefit of a member who has been sick three years. The committee in charge of the festival is as follows: N. H. Roy, A. N. Boulais, J. B. Hurtubise, W. Bouthillette, Arthur Lavoie, Edouard Ducharme, George Baril J. R. Gelinas, Edouard Lambert, Telesphore Rainville and J. N. Cote.

We have another famous special bargain sale tomorrow, Tuesday, November 23. The goods are something out of our regular line, but are useful to every person who doesn't "sleep on the common." Anyone having a cosy room will appreciate this "great snap." The price is but 71 cents for Tuesday, while the regular price and real value is $1.26 each. We do this simply to break the "backbone" of Tuesday, which is the dullest day in the week. See our ad for further particulars. Cook, Taylor & Co., Central street.

Supt. Fowler's men sprinkled sand on the principal streets Saturday night.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

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Look!

SIX PEASE PIANOS

Just Arrived, Latest Styles, Look Well, Sound Well, Wear Well, Prices Low. Buy one at 34 PRESCOTT STREET.

PIANOS

A BRUTAL HOLD-UP

Blind Man Robbed on South Common.

CLERK CARPENTER LOSES HIS SATCHEL.

Other Bits of Police Station News.

A very mean and cowardly hold-up occurred on the South Common on Saturday night, the victim being William A. Severance, the veteran piano player, and organ tuner, residing on Center street.

Mr. Severance, who is nearly blind, was attacked by three burly ruffians, while on his way home and was robbed of $25, a silver hunting case watch, three promissory notes, worth in the aggregate $310, a gold coin and other articles.

It was about midnight when he started across the common and he had not gone far when he was held up by two men who asked him for a match.

He told his captors that he was blind but that only made them laugh and they walked Mr. Severance down in the direction of the pond where a third man awaited them. There they threw Mr. Severance in the snow and went through his pockets, getting the booty as mentioned.

After taking all they could find on him the thieves left Mr. Severance with the threat that they would kill him if he cried out.

Inspectors Laflamme and Allen were made acquainted with the facts in the case and they are working on it.

CLERK CARPENTER ROBBED.

Clinton R. Carpenter, the clerk in the Purchasing Agent's office, is being hoodoed by someone or something for he has lost every thing but his job, within the past week. In the middle of last week his overcoat was taken from the rack in the corridor at his boarding house on Appleton street. Mr. Carpenter rooms in the Odd Fellows' building and on Saturday night while his back was turned someone walked off with his satchel containing letters and papers of value to the owner only.

CAUGHT WRONG MAN.

A man supposedly drunk broke the window in an Armenian's pool room on Central street Saturday evening. The proprietor immediately gave chase to the man who ran as soon as he saw the broken glass. Then they had an interesting chase, during which they turned into Charles street getting separated in the dark. A cop who was patrolling in the vicinity, heard the cries and coming along the street ran into the Armenian. Now the cop didn't know what had been going on so he just held the Armenian despite the latter's protests and sent him to the police station while the man who caused the rumpus got away.

A SNATCH THIEF.

While an unknown lady was passing City Hall Saturday, a snatch thief took her pocket book from her hand and made his escape.

IN FOR LARCENY.

Frank Rigney, an old offender, was arrested yesterday by Officer Sanborn for alleged larceny of two saws, the property of George A. Patten.

BILL HAYES' HORSE.

Bill Hayes' horse is still among the missing. It was stolen on Friday night from the corner of Moody and Tremont streets and has not been seen or heard of since.

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL.

William O'Neil, who formerly resided in Middle street, was taken to the city farm hospital. He was found about a week ago lying in Connors' stable, where he had been kicked by a horse. He caught cold in the wound.

Officer Peter T. Corcoran and two other officers had a short tussle with a bibulous prisoner on New Appleton street early Saturday evening. A large crowd gathered and some of them were of the class who sympathize with prisoners and abuse officers. They indulged in this and the "wind shutting" process had to be resorted to. He was taken to the police station.

A YOUTHFUL OFFENDER.

Officer Peter Cawley yesterday arrested William Wilson, a youngster charged with breaking and entering the mission on Billings street. Wilson, it is believed has been guilty of other breaks.

HORSE CAUGHT BY TREES.

Wandering Nag, With a Buggy, That Nearly Starved to Death.

A few days ago a valuable horse belonging to Levi Hoover, who lives near Hagerstown, Ind., either broke loose or was turned loose from the hitching post in front of his house. This occurred about 11 o'clock at night. The horse was hitched to a buggy and was supposed to have been stolen and taken out of the county. Mr. Hoover advertised in vain.

After he had abandoned all hope of ever recovering his property, the horse was found one morning standing at the gate. Part of the torn harness was hanging to it and a broken shaft was attached. The horse, which was fat and sleek when it disappeared, was very much reduced in weight and apparently very weak. After a long search the buggy was found within a half mile of Mr. Hoover's house, in a thick woods wedged in between the trees. The appearance of the ground indicated that the horse had struggled violently to free himself from the buggy, but had only succeeded in doing so after several days.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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No matter how slight it may seem to you, for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Influenza and apparently insignificant Chest Pains often lead to Pleurisy, Pneumonia, Consumption and other fatal Lung Diseases if neglected.

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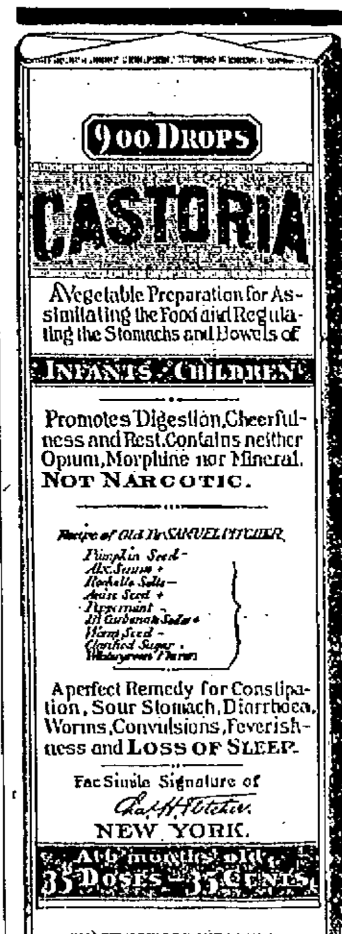

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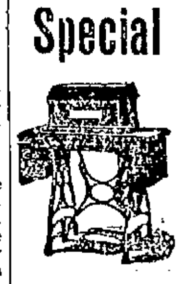

During the next 10 days we shall offer a regular $50 Sewing Machine, manufactured by the New Home Company, at the remarkably low price of $16.75. These Machines have all up-to-date improvements, with a complete set of attachments and a 10 years' guarantee.

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For a few weeks and you will save more money than will buy you a ticket.

Below is a few of the many bargains for this week in Millinery, as well as in everything else. We have cut the price more than half, that means some great bargains for our trade, as it is a well known fact that we sell goods at lower prices for good, clean, staple goods than any house in Lowell, not excepting any.

Children's Cloaks and Bonnets at about half what others ask. Flowers, Feathers and Ribbons at ridiculous low prices.

$5.00 Feathers for $2.25; $3.00 Feathers, $1.25; $2.50 Feathers for 75c.; $1.50 for 69c.

Untrimmed shapes now marked down at ¼ regular price, 1 lot Walking Hats 15c.; 50 doz. Ladies' and Misses' Sailor Hats, worth $1.00, for this sale 25c. Don't forget this if you want a Hat.

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear. All kinds at about half price.

Men's, Ladies' and Children's Hosiery, Gloves and Mittens, all grades, at prices to suit.

8c. heavy Checks for Aprons now 5c; 15c. Gingham Aprons now 9c.; 25c. Fast Black Aprons now 12c.; 1500 Spool Cotton for 10c.; Machine Thread, 3 spools for 5c; 25c. Tooth Powder for 10c.; 25c. Egg White Soap for 10c.

Globe Corset, worth $1.00, for this sale 40c., and thousands of other bargains for this week.

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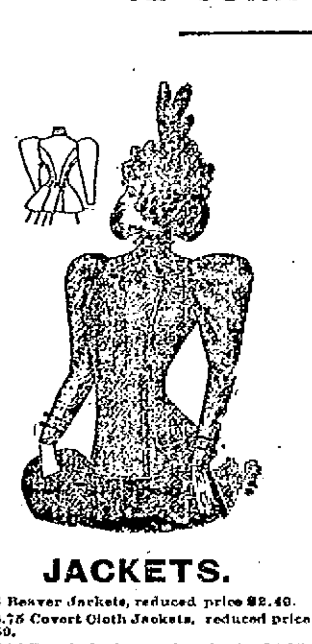

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$5 Beaver Jackets, reduced price $2.40.

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$9.75 Boucle Jackets, reduced price $5.75.

$12.50 Cheviot Lined Jackets, reduced price $7.50.

$15.00 Caterpillar Boucle Jacket, reduced price $9.50.

CAPES.

Beaver Cape, neatly braided, reduced price $2.75.

30-inch Boucle Cape, full sweep, edged with Thibet, regular price $8.50, reduced price $4.95.

FURS. FURS.

Collarettes at $2.40, $2.75 and $3.98, reduced from $4.75, $4.95 and $5.75. [illegible]

30-inch Astrachan Fur Cape, full sweep, worth $10.75, reduced price $6.75.

Special values in Fur Jackets, Mackintoshes, Silk, Wool, and Velvet Waists, etc.

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Busily buying big bargains at the

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The Banker, the Farmer, the Mechanic and Railroad men all meet here and find just what they want.

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THE SUN IS

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The parents of Joe Kelley, the Somersworth murderer, have decided to publish his writings in book form. This is the first thing that has yet appeared to persuade us that the Kelley family is mentally weak.

Editor Cook of the Milford Journal is making a great fight for the presidency of the state senate. He has the reputation of being a man of ability and we have no doubt he will fill the position with entire satisfaction to his party.

The great fire in London was not like that which occurred in Boston 25 years ago. It destroyed some of the leading business blocks of the city, while the Boston fire ate up some of the worst old rookeries in the city, and notwithstanding the loss at the time, proved an ultimate benefit.

J. R. Sovereign will soon find out that the sovereign citizenship of the republic frowns upon his presidential ambition.—Manchester Union.

Yes, when the toiling masses will refuse to be gulled by his sovereign stupidity, despite the fact that he becomes the paid tool of Hanna and other republican boodlers.

Democrats interested in the municipal election should canvass among their acquaintances for citizens eligible for registration during the next few days. The time is getting very short and thus far it seems that the number registered is not as large as was expected. Upon the registration largely depends success at the polls. Registration will close next Wednesday evening.

The government of India has said "No" on the bimetallic question. That decision has been dictated by English influence. The people of India are suffering at present from the evil effects of the gold standard and if alive to their own interests they would restore bimetallism and the free coinage of silver if they could, but they can't, whether they want it or not, while under England's sway.

The city of Lynn is becoming a byword owing to the number of hold ups and the depredations committed there by the burglars and highwaymen. The city stands disgraced before New England on account of the crimes committed there within the past six months by tramps, vagrants, and highwaymen. If there was a good police force in Lynn nothing of the kind would take place. It is because such outrages can be committed with impunity that they occur so often. Let the police but exercise proper vigilance arrest all suspicious characters, and these hold ups and highway robberies will soon be stopped.

Here is a portion of James Donghue's address, in accepting the nomination for the mayoralty of Lawrence:

"I promise tonight, if your choice be ratified by the people in December, and if when I meet you again, it will be as mayor-elect of my native city, that I renew the pledge that every aim and every act will be for the good and the interest and well-being of Lawrence and that I will strive with every effort to return to you the trust you give to me, unstained by dishonor and unsullied by any wrong."

His speech was a rouser and created great enthusiasm among the democrats who heard it. There is every prospect that Mr. Donoghue will be the next mayor of the down river city.

Would it be impertinent to ask by what authority have the public schools been turned into an advertising bureau for the Morning Mail. The Mail seems to have the privilege of going into the public schools, furnishing the teachers with strips to be given out to the pupils, advertising a mere game of chance, which is conducted by the teachers in behalf of the Mail and in which the prize offered is some sort of a book. We have often heard that the teachers of the public schools as well as the pupils are over-worked. What claim has the Mail on any portion of their time so that it is allowed to enter and impose additional labor? The matter is one well worth investigation, inasmuch as it is or should be a violation of the rules.

The chances are that the theatrical billboards that disfigure the highways and the landscape will sooner or later follow the theatrical lithographs into inocuous desuetude. They are about as unprofitable a method of advertising theatrical attractions as are the pictures of famous artists in the windows.—Fall River Globe.

In regard to the subject it might be stated that Lowell is a much abused city from the number of large theatrical bill boards erected in all directions, even upon the tops of buildings and in every conspicuous place to catch the public eye. In the first place these bill boards are very dangerous when placed overhead on the tops of buildings and where they are exposed to wind and storm. Many of them have blown down some with serious results. Upon these bill boards are emblazoned sometimes very objectionable posters, so that altogether there is good reason for some restriction both in regard to the erection of these boards and as to the matter posted upon them.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Lawrence Register—"Do wages rise with wheat, or is it merely our hopes which rise?" asks the Providence Visitor. Probably the latter.

Concord Monitor—With the problems of the bankruptcy bill, pooling, anti-scalping, changes in the interstate commerce law, the census of 1900, postal affairs, postal savings banks, immigration, pilotage, free alcohol, coast defenses, the Central Pacific and the Mississippi river up for settlement, the next session of Congress ought to get a This-is-My-Busy-Day sign ready to hang out.

Chicago Chronicle—Municipal ownership of street railway properties is making such strides in Great Britain that it seems only a question of time when ownership by private corporations will be a thing of the past. In Blackpool, Huddersfield, Hull, Leeds, Plymouth, Sheffield, and Glasgow, all the street car lines are operated by the city authorities. In thirty other cities, including Birmingham, Liverpool Manchester, Edinburgh, and London, the municipalities own or operate a part of the lines within the limits. In Cardiff and Southampton the change to municipal ownership will probably be completed before the end of the present year. In various other cities the street railway tracks belong to the municipality and are leased for so much per mile, with a percentage on gross earnings.

Manchester Union—The administration will need to exercise caution lest Senator Morgan and some of his associates will have the Hawaiian annexation completed before Congress gets in session. Senator Chandler claims that the Senate is practically a unit for the treaty.

Waterbury American—The Springfield Republican informs Senator Hanna that he has already suffered moral defeat and, therefore, should retire. We do not think Mr. Hanna cares much about moral defeat if he can secure votes enough to be re-elected. The morals of politics are not Mr. Hanna's weak-spot.

New York Post—If the republican party is to depend on the Dingley tariff for an issue next year and three years hence, its fate in those elections is already sealed.

Indianapolis News—The failure of Philadelphia to run her gas plant at a profit is not an argument against municipal control so much as it is a condemnation of the spoils system of running things.

Fall River Globe—A Boston man makes the statement that the first duty of a street railway is to its stockholders. This doesn't coincide with what the attorneys and other official representatives of such companies are in the habit of saying when asking for franchises and other privileges from the public. The invariable statement made at such times is that the primary object of roads is to accommodate their patrons and consult their comfort, the dear people. It is very unkind in the man in question to disabuse the latter of that cherished idea.

Salem News—There are intimations of strikes to follow the wholesale cut-downs in wages which the shoe manufacturers of Haverhill have instituted. The wage earners in the shoe towns can be expected to subsist on nothing. For the past four years they have hardly been treading a rosy path, any more than workers in other circles. Shoes cost as much today as in the past, and in a few lines they are considerably higher. Cut-down has followed cut-down in wages, but the consumer still pays the same old price. Meanwhile, the prices of the necessaries of life are materially higher, while steadier employment is yet the boon for which thousands upon thousand of wage earners are anxiously looking. Ignoring the croakers, who are never satisfied, and the prosperity howlers, who are as much of a nuisance and a draw-back in their way as the calamity shouters, the fact remains that present conditions are not of that nature which carries satisfaction.

Washington Post, Ind.—Sir Wilfred Laurier, premier of Canada, has left for home. His mission to Washington ended in a failure. None of the ends desired by either Canada or the United States were realized. It now appears, indeed, that none of them was at any time within reach. The differences between the two governments were irreconcilable. The unfortunate conditions with which we are now confronted were inevitable from the outset.

Louisville Courier-Journal—The editor of the Courier-Journal returns his thanks, along with his most respectful homage ,to those of his esteemed contemporaries who have done him the honor to consider him in conection with the result of the recent elections. Whether their comments were of compliment or of compassion, he is alike beholden to them. He frankly confesses that being too badly hurt to laugh, yet too brave to cry, he was in some perplexity what was best to do. Whether to take to the woods or jump into the river and holler fire, or to crawl into some hole and draw the hole in after him, or to go a-fishing, or what not. But their words of sympathy, penetrating the dark recesses of the cloisters whither he has betaken himself, and where in future he will make his abode ,come like the song of birds to souls in purgatory. They confirm his philosophy. They cheer his exile. They indicate to him that there may be yet a drop or two in the bottom of the glass, perhaps a grain of sugar. Human nature is not so bad after all.

Lowell Citizen—Joseph H. Choate, as Attorney General McKenna's successor, if the latter goes on the supreme bench is suggested, but the suggestion is not likely to be realized. No New Yorker stands much show to be taken into the cabinet at this stage.

SCROFULA in its worst form yields to the blood cleansing power of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Thousands of cases have been perfectly **CURED.**

THE ARENA OF POLITICS

WHAT CONGRESS WILL DO.

Pipes Have Already Been Laid to Retire the Greenbacks.

The approaching session of congress will, when it gets settled down to business, find itself confronted with some very grave problems. It is a Republican congress, and therefore must of necessity have some means of raising the wind. For long years the Union Pacific was a rich field and yielded handsome crops to the congressional speculators, but the retirement of the government from all connection with that road no longer permits congressmen to hold it up. Thus it is that the first thing to be considered by the Republican congress is a way to realize on Republican votes.

The question of retiring the greenbacks is one of the problems. Men who control the Republican party no longer strive to conceal their purpose to retire the greenbacks and give into the hands of the banks the power to expand or contract the currency at their own sweet will. That this will be done seems certain, though there are Republican congressmen who have not yet reached that supreme height of Republicanism which deems regard for the people's rights a bit of childish fancy that should not be tolerated by grown men.

The pipes have been laid for the retirement of the greenbacks, and the men who will profit thereby are well supplied with weapons to beat the hesitating Republicans into line. The only hope left to the people is that they may be able to stave off this nefarious scheme until the congressional elections of 1898, but when one considers the make up of the Republican majority in congress the hope is a very faint one. The best that can be said is that such a condition of things cannot last long. The congressional elections of 1898 will certainly rebuke the absurd idea that the government should not exercise the function of supplying the money needed in the transaction of business.

But the next session will be a lively one. The minority will make it decidedly interesting for the representatives of the money power who appear on the rolls as Republicans.—Omaha World-Herald.

A SIGNIFICANT VICTORY.

Defeat of New York Republicans of Far-reaching Import.

The most important and significant Democratic victory in some years is that which the party has won in Greater New York against odds that seemed to be almost overwhelming, says the Atlanta Constitution. The full significance of this victory may be realized when we remember that it has been won in the largest city on the continent, the most important trade and financial center and the stronghold of the money power with its gold syndicates and powerful financial associations.

Not less significant is the result in the state of New York, which the Democrats have carried, reversing a Republican plurality of 280,000.

When these facts are taken into consideration, the effect of the election of the state and city tickets will be to stimulate and strengthen the Democratic party from one end of the country to the other and fan the hopes of the organization into a flame of enthusiasm. Not since the election of Cleveland in 1884 has there been a more significant Democratic victory.

The stimulating effect it will have on the party at large in all parts of the country can hardly be overestimated. It is a message of hope and enthusiasm sent from the headquarters of the money power that the people are still true to Democratic principles; that in New York, the chief city of the republic, the second largest city in the civilized world and the great money center of the country, the honest masses are still true to themselves and to the party that stands for popular government, as opposed to government by and for syndicates, trusts and monopolies.

It is a victory to celebrate, for its effect on the country will be of the most tremendous import.

A PITIFUL PRESIDENT.

McKinley Employs His High Office to Pay Political Debts.

The spectacle of a president of the United States using all the power possible to his high office in the effort to influence the result of a political campaign in one of these states was not grateful to the American people.

The spectacle of a president of the United States dominated by a grossly material mind and submitting himself as a puppet to political machinations intended to bring about the promotion of a man whose controlling idea of American politics is that "money talks" humiliated the honest and self respecting masses of this country.

The voters of Ohio made a brave effort to rebuke Mr. McKinley's pitiful lowering of the dignity that attaches to the presidential office in his madness of desire to make a United States senator --by popular suffrage—of the slush fund syndicate organizer who made him president. This is the plain meaning of their revolt against Hanna. It is to be hoped that they have succeeded in defeating for the senate the most menacing figure yet known in American politics. But even if they have not done this they have voiced a shamed and indignant protest against Hannaism, the threat of which may not be wisely disregarded in future.

If Mark Hanna goes to the senate, he goes as the representative of the trusts. He has placed McKinley in the White House as a president for the trusts, and McKinley has given proof of his loyalty to the trust influence that elected him. But the plain people of these United States are not yet wholly delivered to this malign force in our latter day politics, and the Ohio protest is but the beginning of their revolt against Republicanism as represented by the Hanna-McKinley syndicate.—St. Louis Republic.

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A BIG HOAX

IS THIS STORY OF A $25,000 FORTUNE.

The following despatch from Oakland, Cal., concerns a former resident of this city, who had an acquaintance with many of the residents of the city:

"A. W. Newton, or as he sometimes calls himself, Newton Parkhurst, who was arrested Sunday for attempting to burn down the depot at the end of the mole, was yesterday examined by Drs. Akerly and Nevins as to his sanity and was committed to Stockton asylum.

"Last February Newton was found living in a shackle near California college, in East Oakland. He was existing on nearly nothing and was in a pitiful condition. He was taken to the county infirmary.

"While at the hospital a letter was received by Dr. Clarke of the infirmary staff from A. H. Atkinson of No. 2 Arthur street, Lowell, Mass., in which information was sought in reference to Newton. A list of questions was inclosed, which if answered correctly by Newton, would prove him to be the heir of an estate valued at $25,000 in Lowell.

"Newton, who says he is 75 years old, was too rambling in his replies to this list of questions, but his answers were sufficient to suggest the probability that he was the man whom Atkinson wanted. On October 29th, Newton wandered from the infirmary and claims to have had nothing to eat up to the time he was taken to the receiving hospital."

Mr. Atkinson mentioned in the despatch lives at the residence given above. The letter referred to was sent all right, but no mention of a fortune of $25,000 was made. That portion of the despatch was manufactured in California. Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson used to know the old man in question, whose right name is E. Newton Parkhurst. He used to live here and had a farm in an adjoining town once, but he got tired of it and swapepd it for a house. He afterwards worked for some time in a sash and blind manufactory but he got rather too old to work much. About seven or eight years ago he took a notion to go to California and the Atkinons had not heard from him since, until some one sent them word that Parkhurst was in an asylum.

ALBIONS BEATEN

BY THE ANDOVERS OF LAWRENCE.

The Albions of this city were defeated by the Andovers of Lawrence on the latter's grounds Saturday afternoon.

The Lowell team was weak at goal, losing two goals on bad plays in the first half.

The Andover team was well balanced as the score of 6 to 2 shows.

During the second half Breadbent, of Lowell was kicked in the head and had to retire from the field. The line-up follows: Albions—Jesse Whitworth, goal; Casey and Finlan, full backs; Dunlavey, Broadbent and Bailey, half-backs; J. Aspen, Flynn, Nelson, Whitworth and Waterhouse, forwards.

Andovers—Allen, goal; Anderson and Sefton, full backs; Fife, D. Rennie, Manchester and Stewart, half-backs; Hill, Patten, S. Rennie and Bailey, forwards.

Referee, J. Anderson of Andover.

Time—Two 30-minute halves. Score, 6 to 2.

BASKET BALL.

One of the hottest and best all around games of basket ball seen in Lowell for many moons was played in the Y.M.C.A. gym. Saturday night, between the regular team and a picked team. The regulars were the victors by a score of 3 to 1. The men throwing goals were Lindsay, 2, and Goodchild for the regulars, and Coulter for the picked team. The line-up:

REGULARS.	PICKED TEAM.
McFarland, l. f.	l. f., Williston
Goodchild, r. f.	r. f., Coulter
Ferris, c.	c., Tulley
Muzzey, r. b.	r. b., Wilson
Lindsey, l. b.	l. b., Keirsted

Time—Two 20-minute halves. Umpire—F. Shaw. Timer—W. J. Startz.

A POOL GAME.

The scientific game of pool has more devotees about Liberty Square than in any other place in Lowell and many and clever are the games played in that vicinity. Since Ed Brady took up the management of Cawley's saloon at the corner of Fletcher and Worthen streets the cranks have flocked to the pool room there. On Tuesday night a match game will be played between Billy Bowers and Ed McAndrews for a 20-pound turkey and the championship of the square.

First class printing done at this office.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 1897.

11—Catherine Curry, 97, heart disease.
Phoebe C. Bates, 83, old age.
12—William E. Howe, 76, general debility.
Mary A. Moran, 21, pulm. phthisis.
Antoinette Lussier, 6, pericarditis.
13—Edward McGirr, 51, pulm. tuberculosis.
Joseph Marshall, 2, membraneous croup.
Marie A. Frechet, 1, croup.
Joseph O. Plomodon, 10 mos., pneumonia.
14—Charles Marshall, 71, apoplexy.
Edward H. C. Plimpton, 60, tuberculosis phthisis.
Anna Nelson, 30, tuberculosis.
John H. Latham, 1 day, inanition.
15—Patrick J. Black, 73, endocarditis.
Annie T. Joyce, 19, enteritis.
Gertrude T. McLaughlin, 16, peritonitis.
Edward Faille, 3, diphtheria.
Antoinette Denis, 1, pneumonia.
Frank J. Sawyer, 1, diphtheria.
Joseph A. Cote, 17 days, debility.
16—George Lupton, 65, cirrhosis of liver.
Hanora Burke, 57, pneumonia.
Edward R. Tweed, 16, disease of heart.
Margaret McCaffrey, 2, pneumonia.
——— McMahon, 2d., prem. birth
17—Patrick Corcoran, 55, concussion of brain.
John L. Greenwood, 47, cerebral hemorrhage.
Mary O'Connor, 33, peritonitis.
Rose B. Lamothe, 8 mos., bronchitis
Carl F. Scott, 7 mos., convulsions.
Marie B. Beauregard, 10 mos., accidental scalding.
Ethel Roche, 1 mo., enteritis.
Francis J. Farley, 21, phthisis.
Marion Warren, 1, bronchitis.
John Raymond, 1 day, prem. birth.
19—Henry C. Church, 84, la grippe.
Margaret Kennedy, 67, bronchitis.
Herbert Dobbs, 1 mo., pneumonia.
Harry Flanagan, 20 days, inanition
Jane Sanders, 1 day., prem. birth.
Eliza Sanders, 1 day, prem. birth.

—Girard P. Dadman,
City Clerk.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.

There was a pleasant entertainment at the Unitarian church vestry Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Lend a Hand society. A graphaphone entertainment of music and songs was held under the direction of Mrs. Harry Palmer. The candy table was in charge of Miss Hylan and Mrs. W. H. Palmer. It was an emergency table.

Miss Hamlett, assisted by the Ready Ten, had charge of the cake table, and Miss Belle Faulkner presided over a fruit table.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.
Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever 10c, 25c. If C.C.C. fail, druggists refund money.

HARD TO COMBAT.

The Evidence of Our Senses, What Lowell People Say Is Pretty Good Proof for Lowell.

When we see it ourselves,
When our own ears hear it,
When our neighbors tell it,
Our friends endorse it.
No better evidence can be had.
It's not what people say in Maine.
Or distant mutterings from California.
No deceiving echoes here.
Lowell talk for Lowell people.
Public opinion published for the public good.
There is no proof like home proof.
Home testimony at the back of every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.
Can you believe your neighbors?
Read this statement made by a citizen:

Mrs. Mary Gard of No. 4 Noble's court, says:

"I was told that my trouble was kidney complaint. I had a dreadful backache, a soreness over my loins. Then I was troubled with headaches and dizziness. It was painful to bend over; my back ached nights and prevented my sleeping. When I was about my work I wanted to sit down, for that tired feeling hung over me all the time. I had these symptoms for about a year and a half before I got those Doan's Kidney Pills at Ellingwood & Co.'s, corner of Central and Merrimack streets. They began to help me from the first. I continued taking them till I felt that there were no pains or aches left. They are a splendid thing for backache. My little girl's kidneys were always weak. The secretions annoyed her every little while and it became most embarrassing to the child. It struck me that Doan's Kidney Pills might be good for her and I gave them to her. Now she is perfectly cured. I did not have to give her many. I think there is nothing like Doan's Kidney Pills. You can use my name in endorsing them."

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For the Benefit of the

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Huntington Hall, Dec. 1,

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Royal Hungarian Gypsy Band

Fancy Dancing by Miss Devol.

Seats reserved at tables, at which light refreshments and temperance drinks will be served, 25 cents extra. On sale at C. W. Durant's, corner Central and Middle streets.

December 2

"Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works,"

Under the direction of Miss Mary Selden McCobb. General Dancing. Music by American Orchestra.

Tickets, Either Evening, 50c.

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Nothing enters into the manufacture of Fairy Soap but the purest and best materials known to the soapmaker's art and that money can buy.

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Sold everywhere in one quality and three convenient sizes, for the toilet, bath and laundry.

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Special Offerings For Thanksgiving Week.

All our $12.98 Boucle Cloth Capes, now **$9.98.**
All our $7.98 Plain Cloth Capes, now **$5.98.**
All our $4.98 Fur Trimmed Cloth Capes, now **$2.98.**

A Wonderful Value Distribution.

Woolen Plaid Waists that sold for $2.75 and $5.00, now **$1.98** and **$3.98.**

Just opened, a new line of Ladies Trimmed Hats, **$4.98, $5.98, $6.98.**

Men's elegant Beaver, Melton and Kersey Overcoats, **$10.75 to $25.**

Men's fine Business Suits, strictly All Wool, **$8.75 to $22.**

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We must have room for the opening of our

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Comforters, From 19c. Each Upwards
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Table Linens, Towels, Doylies, Crashes, Napkins, etc., bought from the closing out sale of the Bradford, Thomas & Co.'s stock at from 25 to 50 per cent. less than regular prices, enables every housekeeper in Lowell to procure

Phenomenal Bargains in Thanksgiving Linens, Crockery, Glass Ware, Silverware, Kitchen Ware, Etc.,

on sale this week at specially reduced prices for Thanksgiving trade.

Buy Your Tea and Coffee for Thanksgiving Day

in our Tea and Coffee Department. Sample cups served daily by demonstrator in charge of department and special inducements to purchasers this week.

O'DONNELL & GILBRIDE CO.

SAD TRAGEDIES OF A DAY

A Wedding Broken up by Murderer Disappointed in Love.

Peacemaker in a Boston Quarrel Shot—Two Children Murdered—Several Deaths by Fire—Other Fatalities.

New York, Nov. 22.—While the wedding feast at the marriage of Isaac Goldstein to Kate Silverstein was in progress last night in a flat house, Charles Schapire appeared at the festivities armed with a revolver. He shot a man named Louis Lieberman in the abdomen, inflicting a fatal wound. The young man was arrested. Lieberman died from the wound shortly before midnight.

The feast was being held in the rooms of a Miss Gordon, who says that Schapire wanted her to marry him, and because she refused he resolved to break up the feast.

THE PEACEMAKER WAS SHOT.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Antone Solmanie, 27 years old, attempted the role of peacemaker last night between two fellow countrymen, but only received a bullet in the abdomen for his pains, and little hope is held out for his recovery from the wound. The man who fired the shot is probably still at large, although a man somewhat answering his description was arrested in Chelsea late last evening, but has not yet been identified.

The shooting took place in a house on South Margin street occupied by Bernard Pitchon. Solmanie was visiting Pitchon and while there Vincent Acquaro appeared and soon became involved in a dispute with Pitchon. The two men grew warm over the subject of the dispute, which is said to have been Pitchon's wife, and before long they were exchanging blows, although with nothing more than their fists. Solmanie, however, thought that more serious weapons might be used, so he rushed between the two. This seemed to intensify the anger of both the men, but Acquaro more especially. He pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired one shot at Solmanie, who fell to the floor, while the blood poured from an ugly wound in the abdomen.

A few moments later the police were on the scene and, after sending the wounded man to the hospital, began a search for Acquaro. No trace, however, could be found of Solmanie's assailant, although all the out of town police stations were notified of the affair. About 11 o'clock, however, word was received from Chelsea that a man apparently answering Acquaro's description had been arrested on an electric car bound through the city from Boston to Lynn.

TWO CHILDREN MURDERED.

Oconomowoc, Wis., Nov. 22.—Willie Cornell, aged six, and Lillie, aged four, were found dead at their home here, with their throats cut; and Ernest Cornell, their father, was lying on the floor with a gash across his throat, extending from ear to ear. Cornell, after his throat was sewed up, said that one Lewis, who had boarded with the family, induced him to drink whisky. He soon lost consciousness and knew nothing more until he was awakened by the clock striking. Cornell stated that his wife and Lewis were together much of the time. The general opinion is that Cornell killed the children and afterwards attempted to commit suicide because of his domestic troubles.

STABBED TO DEATH.

New York, Nov. 22.—A street sweeper named Lorenzo Gallitiello was stabbed to death last night by a fellow countryman named Dominick Cosaro during an altercation on Mulberry street. The stabbing was the outcome of a grudge which had existed between the men for several weeks. After the cutting Cesaro ran away. The wounded man made no outcry, but ran into an alley, where he fell unconscious. He was taken to a hospital, where he died soon afterward. The murdered man was the father of five children. Cesaro is also married.

KILLED IN A COLLISION.

Denver, Nov. 22.—A special from Nogales, Ariz., says: Saturday night near Casqil, a station on the Sonora railroad, in Mexico, a passenger train collided with three cars which had got away from a freight train. The engineer of the passenger train, George Barker, was killed, the fireman so seriously injured that he has since died, and the express messenger, J. O. Moulton, was injured, but not seriously. The cars and locomotive were wrecked.

FOUR LIVES DESTROYED.

Mandeville, La., Nov. 22.—News has been received here of a desperate fight at Bayou Lacombe between Arthur and Edward Jolicon on one side and Lawrence and Edward Cousin on the other, which resulted in the killing of all parties concerned. The cause of the trouble is attributed to an old family feud.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER DEAD.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Trigg, aged 52, and her 10-year-old daughter, Ethel, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed their residence Sunday. A son escaped with a broken leg. Mrs. Trigg had escaped, but returned to save the daughter and fell exhausted.

BURNED TO A CRISP.

Bethany, Mo., Nov. 22.—James Parker and Elmer Fruit were burned to a crisp in a fire that destroyed the Blackburn Bros'. livery barn Sunday morning. Two comrades tried to rescue them and were nearly suffocated.

FARMER FATALLY WOUNDED.

Goshen, Ind., Nov. 22.—William Horan shot and fatally wounded Allan Griffy last night. Horan surrendered himself. He says Griffy threatened to kill him. Both are farmers, and Griffy was quite wealthy.

TROPICAL REPUBLIC.

Mexico City, Nov. 22.—The question of the future of Cuba excites some interest, owing to the talk of a possible union of the island with the Mexican republic in case of its gaining ultimately its independence, which would be pleasing to a large portion of the Mexican people. The Herald remarks: "Cuba should become a part of Mexico, which will eventually form a part of the great tropical republic extending to the mouth of the Orinoco, making the Carribean sea and gulf of Mexico the new world's Mediterranean."

Two more victims are reported of the explosion of the artillery wagons loaded with guncotton which occurred close to the Waters Pierce Oil company's works.

HELD UP, BEATEN AND ROBBED.

Natick, Mass., Nov. 22.—John, Mike and Thomas Danhler, while riding home from Sherborn Saturday night, were held up near Sherborn swamp by two men, who pulled them from their wagon and, after beating them into unconsciousness, made off with $28 of Mike's money. By quick and energetic work the police before noon Sunday had arrested John Dunn and Ned Powers on suspicion and $25 were found on the former for which he could not account. The affair, when it became known, created a tremendous sensation in the town, especially as Mike is lying in a precarious condition at his home, while Danhler is also suffering from severe bruises about the head and shoulders.

MAN ASSASSINATED.

Elmira, N. Y., Nov. 22.—John Denmark, residing one and one-half miles from Van Etten, and his little son were sitting in the home when the muzzle of a double-barrelled shotgun was poked through the window at short range. An assassin blazed away at Denmark, killing him instantly. The boy was slightly wounded. A searching party was soon scouring the country. Hounds are being used to trace the criminals.

GRIFFO AS A VAGRANT.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 22.—"Young" Griffo, the Australian boxer, has been arrested and locked up on the charge of vagrancy. Griffo was indignant and declared: "I am a native of India and a subject of Great Britain, and when I get out this police department will have the whole British government down on it." Griffo is penniless and his manager has left the city.

CHARRED REMAINS FOUND.

Winthrop, Me., Nov. 22.—The dwelling of Davis M. Gower at Readfield Corner was burned Saturday evening. Mr. Gower was a man of nearly 80 years, very feeble, and unable to escape from the burning building. His charred remains were found Sunday morning.

BREWSTER MURDER TRIAL.

Montpelier, Vt., Nov. 22.—Interest in the Mildred Brewster case increases, and many are the speculations as to the outcome. Miss Brewster's lawyers are confident that they can prove their client insane, and profess to have no doubt regarding the result. It is the prevailing opinion that the trial will be a long one because of the mass of expert testimony to be produced by the state and respondent. The work of impanelling a jury began this afternoon. The case has been so widely discussed that it is thought considerable time will be spent before a jury can be secured.

When the trial began the respondent's counsel moved a retraction of the "not guilty" plea and substituted a plea for the abatement of the indictment on the ground that it was not properly found against the respondent by reason of the fact that a stenographer was in the grand jury room taking testimony at the time. This question is a new one and has never been ruled upon. In the Caswell murder case the stenographer was admitted, but the legal question was not raised.

MASKED BURGLARS ACTIVE.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 22.—Marlboro and Roxbury, adjoining towns, are aroused over recent burglaries there. Two masked men entered the house of Charles Ryan, in Marlboro, and demanded money at the point of revolvers. One of the men kept Mr. and Mrs. Ryan covered with the weapon, while the other ransacked the house, taking nothing that was not easily negotiable.

William Phillips of Roxbury, who lives alone in his house, was suddenly confronted by two men, undoubtedly the same ones. Mr. Phillips offered resistance and was knocked down with a club.

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A STRONG APPEAL

To Europe as Against the United States.

AUSTRIAN MINISTER SEEMS EXCITED.

Gen. Ordway of New York Dead.

Vienna, Nov. 22.—Count Goluchowski, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, when making an appeal to all Europe in his annual address before the Austrian and Hungarian delegations to take advantage of the present era of peace and to join closely for the vigorous defense of conditions common to each European country as against the "crushing competition of transatlantic nations," said: "A turning point has been reached in European countries which calls for the unremitting attention of government. The great problems of material welfare, which become more pressing every year, are no longer matters for the future, but require to be taken in hand instantly. The destructive competition which transoceanic countries are carrying on in part at present, and which is in part to be expected in the immediate future, requires prompt and thorough counteracting measures if the vital interests of the people of Europe are not to be gravely compromised.

"We must fight shoulder to shoulder against a common danger, and arm ourselves for the struggle with all the means at our disposal. Just as the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries were absorbed by religious wars, just as the eighteenth century was marked by the triumph of liberal ideas, and just as the nineteenth century has been notable for the appearance of great questions of nationality, so will the twentieth century be for Europe a period marked by a struggle for existence in the politico-commercial sphere. European nations must close ranks in order successfully to defend their existence. May this be realized everywhere, and may the epoch of peaceful development we now confidently anticipate be employed in collecting our strength and devoting ourselves chiefly to this end."

GENERAL ORDWAY DEAD.

New York, Nov. 22.—General Albert Ordway died last evening at the Hoffman House. General Ordway and his wife returned from Europe last Wednesday. Next day the general was taken sick and he continued to grow weaker until 7:15 o'clock Sunday evening.

The general's death was doubtless hastened by the sad and recent events in connection with his daughter, Bettina Girard. The latter a day or two ago was transferred to a private sanitarium from Bellevue hospital. Owing to the pleading of his wife, who had become reconciled to her daughter, General Ordway finally consented to the return of the former actress, and a reunion of the family in Washington was arranged.

Brevet General Albert Ordway was born in 1843 and served with credit and gallantry throughout the civil war, the greater portion of the time with his regiment, the Twenty-fourth Massachusetts infantry. An act of personal gallantry at Newberne, N. C., was followed by his appointment as adjutant of the regiment. He remained in North Carolina until June, 1863, later serving in the army of the Potomac, then in Florida and through the campaign of 1864-65 in the army of the James. After the occupation of Richmond he was appointed provost marshal of Virginia, where, through a portion of the troublous reconstruction times, he directed the delicate duties of his position with much skill and tact. For gallantry at various times and because of his ability he had been successively promoted until, when slightly over 22 years of age, he was made brevet brigadier general, being the youngest officer in the service to receive that grade. His regiment and himself were retained in the service until February, 1866, and were the last volunteer troops mustered out in the state.

THE DURRANT CASE.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Today the attorneys for Durrant applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandate to compel Judge Bahrs to settle the bill of exceptions proposed by Durrant, an appeal from the last order of the supreme court ordering him to be hanged. The bill of exceptions was presented to the judge Saturday, but he declined to take action. He consented to defer his formal refusal until today in order that Durrant's attorneys might take steps to secure a writ of mandate directing him to do as requested. The next move of the prosecution will be made immediately upon the arrival of the remittatur from the supreme court.

WHERE MURDER IS JUSTIFIED.

Santafee, N. M., Nov. 22.—In the district court in Rio Arriba county, in the case of E. Jaramillo and P. Salazar, for the murder of P. Garcia, the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Then Judge Laughlin said to the jury: "Gentlemen, I find it is entirely useless to prosecute crimes in this county. It seems that murder is justified here. You can all be discharged permanently and go home."

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BOSTON WOMAN'S JEWELS

Stolen in a Handkerchief From Her Room by a Caller.

Fearful Head-on Collision of Electrics at Baltimore With Fatal Results—Miss Mellish of Holyoke Seminary Still Missing.

Boston, Nov. 22.—At an early hour this morning the most extensive diamond robbery which has taken place in this city for a long time was reported to the police of division 6. Maud M. Brown of 220 West Springfield street was the victim, and the police are actively looking for the man who is supposed to be responsible for the disappearance of the jewels. The loser is fortunate in having a considerable collection of very valuable jewelry, and she is in the habit of keeping it knotted in a handkerchief under her pillow.

Last evening sh ehad two callers, one a young lady of her acquaintance, and the other a gentleman whom the young lady says she met last night for the first time. Miss Brown was abed when they arrived, but rose and entertained her visitors with selections on the piano. After the departure of the guests the hostess was abed for some little time, and when she awoke she discovered her precious handkerchief was missing.

The police had no difficulty in finding Miss Brown's female friend, but the strange gentleman is very much missing, and the woman who introduced him to the house disclaims knowing who he is or where he abides.

ORDERS WERE DISOBEYED.

Baltimore, Nov. 22.—Because Theodore R. Merrick, a motorman in the employ of the Baltimore and Northern railway, disobeyed orders, officers of that road say, there was a frightful head-on collision Sunday on the line, in which Merrick was almost instantly killed and W. F. Horner, motorman of the car which was going in the opposite direction, received injuries from which he died about half an hour later. The two conductors and the four passengers who were on the cars were all more or less hurt, although the injuries are not supposed to be dangerous.

On Horner's car, which was northbound, there were, besides Horner and Conductor Watkins, three passengers, as follows: Charles Snowden, Daniel Brown and Frank Mahon. Mahon, Watkins and Brown received slight cuts and bruises, but they were not seriously hurt. On Merrick's car, which was southbound, there was only one man besides Merrick and Conductor Ewing. This was B. F. Snowden. Snowden was badly shaken up and received slight injuries.

HUNTING FOR A MISSING GIRL.

Springfield, Mass., Nov. 22.—All day long men have been scouring the woods about Mount Holyoke college in Hadley searching for Bertha L. Mellish, a junior, who has been missing since Thursday. No trace of her has been found, and her friends have practically given up hope of finding her alive. State Detective Munson is of the opinion that the girl was drowned in the Connecticut river either accidentally or in suicide. No reason can be ascribed for her leaving college without a word to anyone. Her closest friend in college, Miss Eaton, says that Miss Mellish was very venturesome, and that she frequently took long walks in the fields and woods. It may be that she wandered away Thursday afternoon further than usual and became lost and has perished in the woods.

FOOT BALL GAMES

Harvard and Yale Lost Saturday's Games.

PENNSYLVANIA AND YALE THE VICTORS.

Lavigne and Walcott to Meet Feb. 22.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22.—It is the opinion of Harvard's football players and students collectively that the university of Pennsylvania has the strongest team on the gridiron. This conclusion was reached after a valiant struggle by the Cambridge boys to win Saturday's game. They lost it by the score of 15 to 6.

Harvard started the game without the services of Captain Cabot, Richardson taking his place at left end. Swain, who played against Yale at left tackle, was replaced by Wheeler; Mills and Haughton alternated in Donald's position at right tackle, Warren's position at right halfback was ably filled by Parker.

The Harvard team, as a whole, played good football, but the Pennsylvanians played better. In Dibblee and Parker, Harvard had two of the finest halfbacks, and had Harvard's line held as it should have done, the crimsons would have been more dangerous for Pennsylvania. On the ends the Cambridge men showed none of the slowness in getting down the field which characterized the play against Yale. Both teams were guilty of bad fumbling. Two of Pennsylvania's fumbles cost them the loss of two touchdowns. Harvard's fumbles were more numerous, but less disastrous.

PRINCETON LOST TO YALE.

New Haven, Nov. 22.—A more disconsolate looking lot of football players than the tigers after Saturday's game ended has seldom been seen. While the Yale men, half wild with happiness over their unexpected victory, were swarming across the field to carry the victorious players from the field, the Jerseymen plodded to their dressing rooms alone. They were battered and bruised; they were exhausted by the severe playing, and dazed by the defeat of which they had never dreamed. It was a hard beating for Princeton, and a contest that will not soon be forgotten. Without changing their mud-stained suits, the players were conveyed by trolley cars to their quarters at Morris cove. There was little discussion of the game among either coaches or players. The Princeton contingent felt too gloomy to talk and were backward about expressing opinions of a contest that had proved such a disappointment to them.

The players attributed their defeat to the poor physical condition of some of them. Injuries deprived the tigers of their most reliable and needed men. Without them defeat was inevitable.

"Alex" Moffat, the head coach, said that Yale won a victory by hard, clean playing. It was a splendid game, and its sad ending for Princeton was due more than anything else to the injuries of their strongest players.

LAVIGNE AND WALCOTT.

San Francisco, Nov. 22.—Billy Lavigne and Tom O'Rourke have arranged for a fight at 137 pounds between George Lavigne and Joe Walcott. The contest will take place about noon, Feb. 22. Solly Smith and George Dixon have also signed for a match, the meeting to take place some time in February in this city.

DOE TO BE AN UMPIRE.

New Bedford, Mass., Nov. 22. Alfred Q. Doe, the [illegible] player, had declined the offer of the New Bedford baseball directors to manage the team next season, and will accept a position as umpire in the National league.

DEATH OF JUDGE NELSON.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 22.—Judge Thomas L. Watson of the United States district court for the district of Massachusetts, died at his residence, 17 Kendall street, in this city, at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning, after a long illness. He was stricken with a sudden sickness at the Parker house, his home while holding court in Boston, early in February, and at the time his physicians believed the end to be not far off. He was finally taken home, and to the surprise of the doctors rallied so successfully as to be able to leave his bed, and then to resume, to an extent, his active life. He went to Boston a number of times, and again took his seat upon the bench, though not to hear any cases excepting where business was briefly transacted. The old trouble returned again, and finally, a few weeks ago, he had again to confine himself to his room, and then to his bed, and he gradually grew weaker until the end came. He leaves a widow and four children.

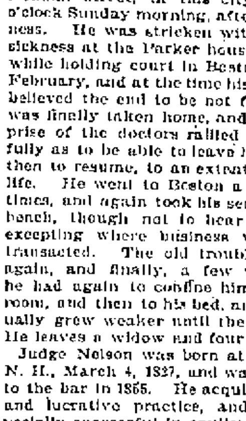
Judge Nelson was born at Haverhill, N. H., March 4, 1827, and was admitted to the bar in 1855. He acquired a large and lucrative practice, and was especially successful in equity and bankruptcy law. Equity law was rather new, the Massachusetts court having but recently been given this jurisdiction. He was appointed United States district judge for Massachusetts by President Hayes in 1879, to succeed John Lowell, who was promoted to the circuit court.

FINNS VS. ITALIANS.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 22.—A special to The Tribune from Houghton, Mich., says: There is every prospect of serious trouble at the Atlantic mine. Superintendent Stanton will not accede to any demands made by the strikers. Italians are on the ground to take the places of the strikers, but the Finns have warned the Italians that they will be killed if they attempt to enter the mine. The present force of deputy sheriffs cannot prevent an outbreak if the Italians attempt to go under ground.

COBBLER MURDERED.

Cigonier, Ind., Nov. 22.—John Earl came here recently from Buffalo, and set up a shoe repairing shop in which he roomed. Sunday morning he was found dead in his shop with contusions on the head. All the furniture was upset and there was blood on the wall. It is a case of murder, with the absence of an apparent motive.



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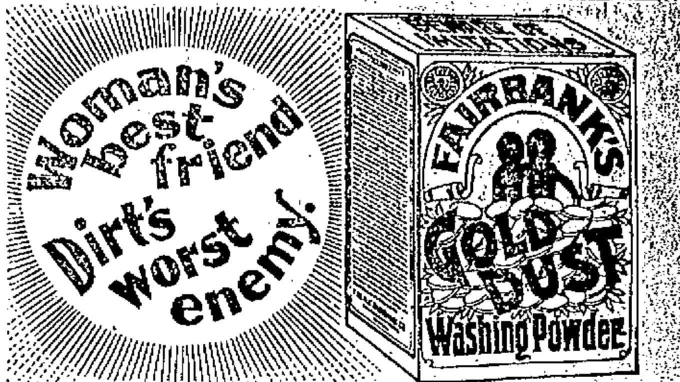

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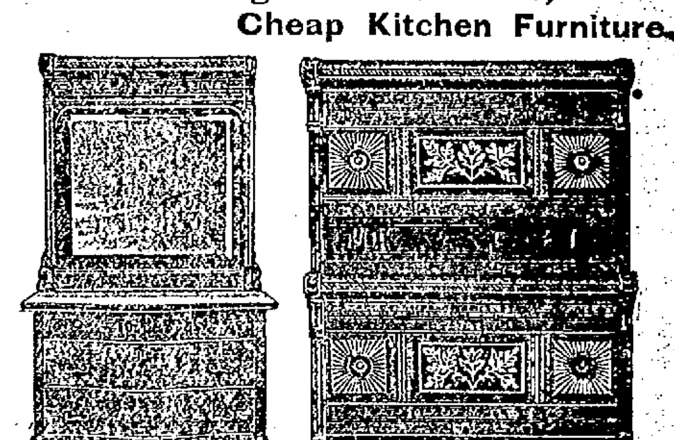

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THE EXPOSITION OF THE CENTURY.

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Progress, Plans and Purposes of the Greatest Exhibition In the History of the World.

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IF ENTERPRISE, enthusiasm and extravagance can insure success, the Paris exposition of 1900 will be the eighth wonder of the world, and an unparalleled achievement may be expected on the threshold of the twentieth century in the gayest capital in the world.

The work of preparation for the great undertaking has begun in earnest, and the demolition of buildings on the site of the exposition is under way. The plan of the grounds not only provides for an area four times as large as that of the exposition of 1889, but also calls for work of considerable magnitude and great pretentions, intended to outlive the exposition and forever after beautify the city.

These undertakings will involve an expenditure of 75,000,000 francs, about $15,000,000 in our money. One quarter of this sum will be used in beautifying the Champs Elysees, already one of the most beautiful spots in Paris.

No city anywhere, not even in the United States, contains in its center an area of land equally available for exposition purposes. When you stop to consider that this wonderful show is to be held not in the outskirts of this, one of the oldest and most beautiful of the European centers of population, but in the very heart thereof, you will be able to form an adequate idea of the first step toward the construction of what the Parisians claim will astonish all mankind.

The site for the exposition includes the public grounds on both sides of the Seine from the Place de la Concorde, that great monumental square in the city's center, to a point beyond the Pont de Jena. This includes in its sweep of territory the Champs de Mars, the Trocadero palace and park, which was the site of the exposition of 1889; the Esplanade des Invalides, the Quai d'Orsay, the Quai de la Conference, the Cour la Reine, and a large section of the Champs Elysees, this latter including the site of the Palace of Industry, which was the International exposition of 1855, the first of the series of French expositions.

If half the schemes that have been suggested for the exposition should be used, there would not be room for them, not only in the exposition grounds, but in a space equal to the whole site of the city of Paris. It really seems as if every ingenious schemer the world over has been devoting himself to making suggestions for striking features for the exposition. There is the marvelous city in the air to be sustained by a gigantic balloon. The city is to drop down to the ground at convenient intervals and take aboard such additions to its population as may be inclined to thus rise in the world, or to permit the debarkation of persons who are tired of remaining so long within one city's limits.

The woman's building, which has practically been decided upon, is likely to be in the form of a composite head, this head being made in accordance with a composite picture of the most beautiful women in the world. The head is to possess many unique features, besides containing all sorts of comforts—from the rooms where women may gossip in easy chairs to the restaurant, where they will gain at the same time new ideas and excellent meals.

One of the most unique ideas submitted was that of a gigantic fountain to be placed in the center of a great basin or lake. Tremendous force is to be applied to the jets, forcing them to a height of 200 feet.

Then there is the great globe, the aerial railway, the gigantic telescope and other big features of the exposition. Among the other propositions presented—and there have been 260 of them—is a palace for the accommodation of the public in general, a gorgeous affair, which, it is declared, shall contain everything that heart could wish and money can buy.

Then there will be an exhibition of the works of man from an early period up to date. This will apply particularly to the more notable inventions of great artists, and will include portraits, statuary, manuscripts, etc. A 200 ton clock is under consideration. A wine vat that will hold 83,600 gallons is another suggestion. Mines and geological exhibits without number are among the plans submitted. Camille Flammarion, the famous astronomer, wants a tremendous moon constructed, around which those who desire shall circulate in a balloon.

As for theaters, panoramas and other amusements, there are suggestions without number. Of course, it is proposed to have the Passion play. Another idea is to have a submarine theater. Then comes the usual Alpine panorama and another which it is alleged will represent the mysteries of the ocean.

The doings of the recent expedition of the French to Madagascar are what some one wishes to exploit on canvas, and so it goes.

The entries have now closed, and the members of the exposition committee must deliberate over what is before them. While 54 suggestions have been held to be worthy of consideration, really not more than 51 of these projects are at all in accordance with the general plan of the exposition. One of the commissioners has gone so far as to say that only 23 of them are at all appropriate, but this question must be settled by the commissioners as a whole.

The principal entrance to the exposition will be situated near the Seine, at one of the angles of the Place de la Concorde. Within the visitor will find on his right the Administration building and next to it the building of Education and Instruction. No structure of any kind will impede the view of the Seine on the left, but a gorgeous spectacle will greet the eye in the terraced gardens, which will be constructed on a princely scale on the border of the river.

A new promenade will be divided between the Champs Elysees and the Quai de la Conference. On the right, and facing the Hotel des Invalides, will be erected the palace of Fine Arts, and on the left will rise the palace, of smaller dimensions than those of the palace of fine arts, of the proposed exposition of French art.

These two buildings, with the monumental bridge, will be the only permanent ones of the exposition. They will be so arranged as not to change the character of the great Parisian avenue, and their distribution will lend itself to the same artistic purpose for all time, as does that of the actual palace of Industry. Porticos, statues, beds of flowers and the like will help complete the beautiful picture thus to be created.

The monumental bridge will be 60 feet in width, and will not interfere with navigation. A unique arch of beaten steel is expected to lend unusual grandeur, a part of which will be covered by an ornamental scheme of extremely light porticos, forming a metallic net of lacework appearance.

The system which has been adopted for the elevated constructions on the esplanade will be different from that employed in 1889, in that these constructions will be placed in the center. All this part of the territory of the exposition will be reserved for the industrial arts and all that appertains to them.

It was proposed to tear down the palace of Industry, but the project has startled a great number of people. Artists, sportsmen and agriculturists were especially alarmed lest they would be deprived of a place, as a critic has expressed it for them, wherein to exhibit themselves for four years.

But the committee within whose hands the work of laying out the general plan was intrusted has assured them that they need not fear. The annual salon of the Society of French Artists, they say, will be given a home or habitation in some part or other of the Champs Elysees, and as for the other societies concerned, the committee says they will make it their business to find quarters for them also.

The exposition will cover both banks of the Seine up to the Alma bridge. On the right will be the buildings of the city of Paris, of horticulture and social economy, and on the left the foreign buildings. From the Alma bridge to the Champs de Mars station will be erected the palaces for the exposition of land and naval warfare, merchant marine, forests, hunting, fisheries and crops.

All the colonial expositions will be installed in the Trocadero of the Champs de Mars. The buildings to be devoted to agriculture, mines and metallurgy, chemistry, transportation, electricity, clothing, foods, civil engineering and the like will also be located here.

Two series of palaces, on the same general principle, each group, nevertheless having different characteristics for the sake of variety, and arranged according to gradation, will be built along Suffren and La Bourdonnais avenues. They will culminate at an immense water castle with cascades and also at the palace of Industry.

Over all the circumference of the garden will be developed a series of terraces, from the top of which a magnificent view will be afforded of the panorama of the Champs de Mars and of the Trocadero.

The electricity building will be a palace of resplendent glass and will be so brilliantly illuminated at night that it will look like a gigantic beacon of light. The machinery building of 1889 will be preserved, though its form will be somewhat modified, as also the use to which it will be put. In the center will be installed a great meeting hall, of which the palace of electricity will constitute the brilliant vestibule, and the two wings of which will screen the group of agriculture.

The famous Eiffel tower will also be retained, but beyond this the committee has not yet arrived at any decision. It will undoubtedly be added to in many particulars with the view of making it a still greater wonder than it already is.

The Paris exposition is to witness the crowning triumph of the bicycle. It will be in the form of a bicycle palace. The plans for this remarkable structure are the result of the genius of M. Paul Lemay, a wheelman of considerable note.

The palace itself will be a remarkable structure. The interior will not be broken up into small apartments to any extent, but instead the vast space will be used for the display of the wheel in all its forms, from the first crude two wheeled walking machine to the delicate mechanism which will mark the improved wheel at the close of the present century. Three years are likely to develop some wonderful improvements in the wheeling world.

The main entrance will be entirely of marble, cut in the form of immense bicycle forks, while overhead will rest a huge handlebar of burnished steel. A number of smaller rooms will open from the main floor, separated only by festooned curtains, which will be made entirely of network such as the material usually used in the guard on the woman's bicycle.

At either end of the main floor will be a monster wheel, with a tire made of Crookes tubing, by which artificial daylight is produced. These monster wheels will revolve from the time the exposition opens until its close. Apart from the light produced in this manner the only illumination will be large bicycle lamps of every conceivable construction.

Every seat in the building will be made of parts of a bicycle, though many of them will be so arranged as to be far more comfortable than the very latest in saddles. Curved and straight handlebars will be used for backs and cushioned wheels in some cases for seats, while the chairs will be held up by different parts of the frame.

Major Moses P. Handy has been appointed special commissioner of the United States to the exposition. This country has never been very eager in its acceptance of invitations to exhibit at such affairs, and this one has been no exception.

Major Handy will find that the United States is handicapped by the delay in our acceptance of the invitation to exhibit. It is more than a year since the last of the important nations of the world accepted the invitation of the French government, and hence all other nations have a year's start over us. Our delay has met with much criticism in France, especially since the French have always been friendly to America and that republic was the first nation to accept the president's invitation to take part in the celebration of the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of America. Even Germany, the traditional enemy of France, long ago declared its delight to aid in the celebration in honor of the greatness of France.

The exposition authorities have now admitted Major Handy's main contention, that practical equality should be observed in the assignment of space among the leading nations. The tardiness with which the United States commission has been sent out has thus been overcome, and the other foreign commissioners have been the first to congratulate Mr. Handy on the success of his efforts. The basis on which the distribution of space will be made benefits them all, as there will be but a few hundred meters of difference in the superficial area granted for their exhibits to such competing nations as the United States, Great Britain, Germany and Austria-Hungary. The treatment of most favored nations was from the first sure to be accorded to Russia on account of the alliance, and to Belgium, whose industrial interests are so closely united with those of the French.

The essential work of the special commissioner was to secure for the United States this treatment of equality with the other great nations. The concessions of increased space which have been made crown this work and have been accepted by Major Handy. They comprise very much more than was proposed on his arrival, and are practically as much as the United States has a right to ask in consideration of the limitations on all the nations.

It is expected that the American forestry exhibit will be of unusual interest. The finest collection yet made of southern woods, now on exhibition at Nashville, will be ready for 1900, and it should be completed by an adequate and comprehensive exhibition of the woods of the north and west.

At the Paris exhibition of 1878 the United States was represented by 1,125 exhibitors. In 1889 the number was increased to 2,000, and it is not too much to expect at least 3,000 and probably as many as 5,000 will show their products at that of 1900.

The eagerness which foreigners have shown to participate has caused the exposition management to allot a large part of the space to them, and this does not include the space reserved for regular government buildings, which many foreign powers will erect in addition to the exhibits of private individuals and firms. It is estimated that one-tenth of the grounds will be covered by these special buildings. Altogether the foreign countries will be allotted about twice as much space as they had in 1889, provision being made for 50,000 foreign exhibitors.

April 15, 1900, is the date which has been set for the opening of the exposition, and its doors will close on Nov. 5. The plans have been arranged on an elaborate scale, and Commissioner General Picard is certain that he will be able to eclipse the world's fair at Chicago.

One of the most difficult problems connected with the exposition, that of rapid transit within the grounds, has been finally decided in favor of a system of traction first introduced and tested in the United States. The so called "moving sidewalk," which aroused such well deserved interest at Chicago World's fair, will be used.

All who visited that stupendous exhibition will remember the ingenious contrivance consisting of a row of seats resting upon an elevated wooden pavement which slid upon rollers propelled by electricity. The mechanism consisted in reality of two parallel surfaces moving in the same direction, the one nearer the station platform going at a lower rate of speed, so as to allow the passenger to make the transit to the more rapid surface without danger or shock. The system worked very well, and it was introduced at the Berlin exhibition some time after, under the supervision of the American inventors, Messrs. Silsbee and Schmidt.

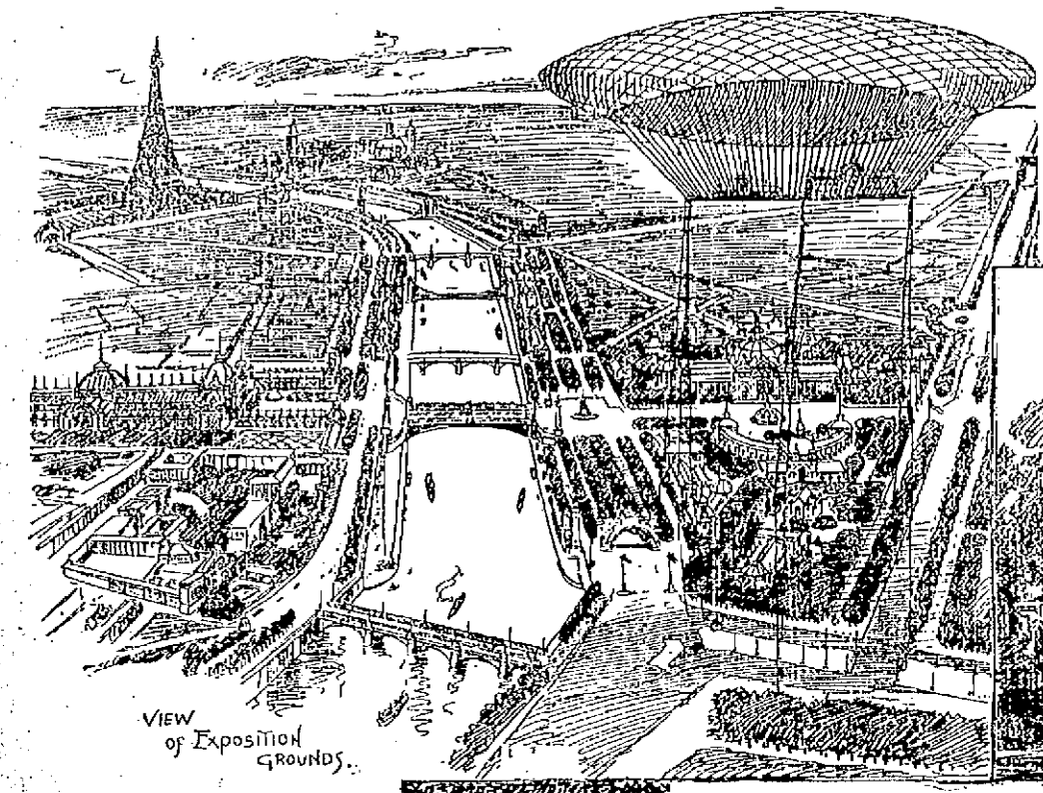
The "moving sidewalk" of the Paris exposition of 1900 will resemble its predecessors in its general plan, but it will also embrace several important improvements. One of the principal objections to the original invention was the fact that not only the planes, but also pretty well all the other portions of the contrivance—wheels, motors, axles, etc.—were included in the general movement. This necessitated a stoppage of the entire mechanism every time repairs became necessary, occasioning a grievous interference with the traffic. Furthermore, the disposition of the rails and other defects in the construction resulted in considerable friction and wear and tear, calculated to render the operating of the road a serious menace to life and limb. Without going into technical details, it may be said that the French engineers, Messrs. Armengaud, Biot, Guyenet and Mocombie, have succeeded in eliminating all the objectionable features of the old system and producing a method of traction that commends itself to the exposition commission as fulfilling all the requirements of the situation. This road, forming a belt around the grounds, will be able to convey 51,732 passengers per hour, a record impossible to equal by any other method. It will prove a veritable godsend if, as the commissioner general, M. Picard, calculates, the attendance at the exposition should exceed 50,000,000.

The general appearance of the "moving sidewalk" will resemble the New York elevated railroad, being supported by steel uprights about 15 feet in height, with stations at regular intervals reached by pairs of staircases. The plan is to include within the belt the entire Champs de Mars and the Quay d'Orsay as far as the Esplanade des Invalides, so that every passenger for his 10 cent fare will obtain a full panorama of the best part of the exposition.

It is not expected that there will be any pecuniary profit from the exposition, any more than there was from the World's fair, but the indirect benefit to France will be enormous, for millions of dollars will be spent by visitors. For instance, it is estimated that the exposition of 1889 drew to Paris $250,000,000, of which $100,000,000 came from the provinces and $150,000,000 came from abroad. It is expected that at least 50 per cent more money will be spent in 1900.

PIERRE LE MONT.

The sum of $21,000,000 is the official estimate of the cost of the World's fair of 1900 and is greatly in excess of the Paris exposition of 1889, which cost $8,600,000, or that of 1878, which cost $8,300,000. The cost of the two places on the Champs Elysees will alone be $4,000,000.



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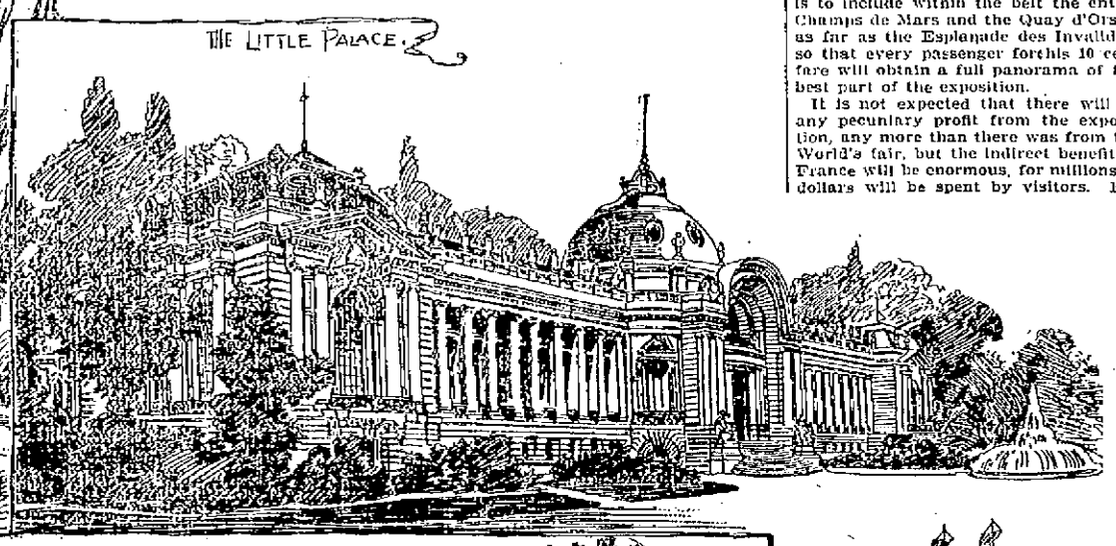

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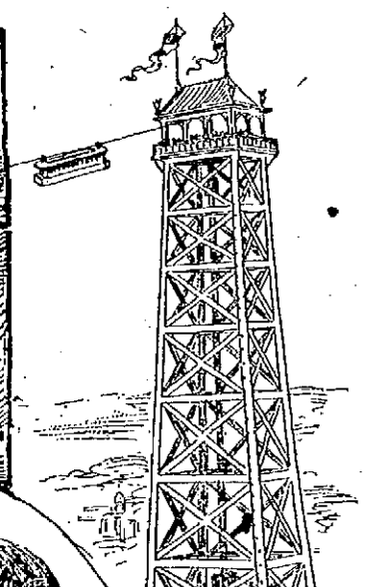

TROLLEY TOWER

MOSES P HANDY

A Champagne Bottle Tower.

An ingenious scheme to provide attractions at the Paris exposition of 1900 is the bottle plan.

The idea is to build a huge tower in the form of a champagne bottle. It will be divided into chambers in which the process of manufacturing wine will be exhibited.

In the first chamber, on the ground floor, there will be a charming scene. A vine clad hill at the season of gathering the grapes will be represented, the river Rhone appearing in the background. A yoke of oxen will draw a great load of freshly gathered grapes.

On the next and second story the work of gathering the grapes will be shown in more detail. The arrangement here will be of a somewhat humorous character.

Above that will be a wine press, not such as would be found in the champagne district, because that is too modern and not sufficiently picturesque. This will be a rustic wine press, a charming bit of old fashioned France.

Your ascent will then bring you to a brilliant scene, a striking contrast to the last. This will be a grand ballet, entitled "The Grape Harvest Festival," in which that smiling event will be celebrated in a suitable terpsichorean manner. Most people will be able to see a subtle connection between the ballet and the wine producing industry, apart from the fact that in this case one is specially devoted to the other.

Above that you will come to a scene of patient industry. Here the work of bottling and labeling will be represented. This will be a peculiarly instructive exhibition, as the bottling of champagne will be explained. This is a very elaborate and interesting process and one which is little understood by the general public.

The remaining three chambers will be arranged as a monastic cellar, the wine-room and gay place of entertainment and an observatory.

What It Will Cost.

The estimated cost of the exposition, or rather the expenditures of the French government, will be 106,735,000 francs, or $21,357,000. Of this sum the city of Paris contributes 20,000,000 francs, the national government 50,000,000, and the remainder will be raised by a lottery and other financial measures. The lottery is a curious affair. The drawings extend over a series of five years. Each ticket, which sells for 20 francs, or $4, has attached to it 20 coupons that will be accepted for admission to the fair, and they are on sale in every news stand, cigar store, hotel, cafe, club and other places of resort in Paris, as well as at the banks, postoffices and other public institutions.

The grand capital prize is $600,000, and there are various other prizes of less amounts. The capital prize is divided into five annual portions of $100,000 each, and the first, which was drawn this year, fell to a rag merchant at Dunkirk.

The second prize, which is drawn annually, is 20,000 francs, and the third 10,000 francs. Then there are five prizes of 6,000 francs each, ten of 1,000 francs each, 100 of 500 francs each and 500 of 100 francs each, which are a sufficient inducement for the people all over the republic to invest. At the same time they get their money back in admission tickets to the fair.

Every franc that is invested in the lottery pays an admission, which is good at all times and can be resold between now and the close of the exposition if the purchaser does not care to retain it. Working people, laborers, farmers, school children and every other class of citizens are investing their savings in lottery tickets as a matter of patriotism as well as profit, but by this process before the fair is opened enough tickets will be sold in advance to anticipate all receipts at the gates.

Feeding the Help.

The most interesting feature of the coming French exposition thus far is a co-operative company for feeding the laborers on the grounds. The capital, which is 25,000 francs, divided into 1,000 shares of 25 francs each, has been furnished by philanthropic gentlemen who are interested in the promotion of co-operative undertakings for workingmen, and they intend it to be an object lesson for the benefit of trade unions and the public generally.

Several restaurants have been established in convenient locations where dinner is served at noon for 1 franc and 10 centimes, or 22 cents in our money, which includes soup, meats, vegetables, salads and puddings, with a portion of ordinary French wine. The profit on the stock has been limited to 3 per cent per annum, and all earnings above that sum are placed in a reserve fund, which will be divided into three parts.

One-tenth will be kept for the relief of workmen who are ill or injured during their employment by causes for which they are not responsible. Three-tenths will be divided at the end of each quarter among the employees of the restaurant, while the remaining six-tenths will be distributed as dividends or rebates among the customers. Every man, when he takes a meal, is given a ticket representing the amount he has expended. These tickets will be preserved and at the end of the quarter will be cashed by the treasurer in proportion to the amount they represent.

A Few Novelties.

A very interesting feature of the exposition will be an old Parisian street of three centuries ago and other exhibitions suggested by the peculiar habits, customs and manners of life of foreign countries. There is a proposition to revive the famous wooden horse which played so important a part in the siege of Troy; an Egyptian city, with a representation of the romance of Antony and Cleopatra; figures among the propositions; a cafe in a tunnel beneath the waters of the Seine has been planned, and a Milwaukee brewing company has applied for a concession to erect a monumental barrel of beer of glass 52 feet in length and 27 feet in diameter, from which the beer will be drawn through several hundred faucets.

An adventurous person styled M. X. proposes to organize an expedition to the north pole.

Freak Features of the Fair.

A lover of the old mythology would be delighted to see in the Seine a reproduction of the car of Amphitrite and her suit of water nymphs. Vesuvius in eruption, with a view of Herculaneum in the process of destruction, is demanded by a Parisian.

It is presumed by an admirer of classic architecture that a reproduction of the Acropolis of Athens would be a fitting ornament of the height on which the Trocadero is situated.

Mr. Benedix of Chicago would be pleased to see a restoration of a gold diggers' camp of '49, so often reproduced in San Francisco. An impracticable of Calais thinks it possible to sink two wells to the depth of 1,650 feet, which, connected by galleries, would, in his opinion, be exceedingly attractive.

Some one living at Tours proposed the hanging gardens of Babylon. It is suggested that the Versailles parks be utilized as annexes of the exposition and connected with Paris by fast trains. A citizen of Algiers proposes a huge basin, with jets of water, containing fish, from 6 to 35 feet in length.

The transportation of Mont Blanc to the exposition grounds is proposed, with practical illustrations of the manner in which it is ascended by parties bent on scientific exploration.

A Parisian considers that a vast aquarium would be a great attraction, especially if its wonders could be seen by means of a central basin, with a submarine boat for the convenience of visitors.

From Italy comes a suggestion to reproduce the Roman Colisseum, with combats of wild beasts and perhaps the martyrdom of a few Christians.

CRAZY SAILOR RAN AMUCK

Seized With Homicidal Mania on a Vessel.

Principals in the Tragedy on the Boston Fishing Schooner.

Slashed the Crew and Then Cut His Own Throat—An Officer Collapsed at Sight and Went to Hospital.

Boston, Nov. 22.—Manual Genoario, a sailor on the fishing schooner Two Forty of Gloucester, lying at T wharf, went crazy Saturday night and ran amuck with a sharp knife, attacking his shipmates and badly wounding them while they were lying in their bunks. Genoario was afterwards found dead upon the floor of the cabin, his throat cut and his knife in his hand.

Howard Spanks and Joseph Hay were first attacked in the most savage manner by the crazy man, Spanks being slashed on the left shoulder and right foot, and Hay having his left arm nearly severed. The madman then went into the cabin aft and attacked the other sleeping men, but the injuries inflicted were not so severe. Joseph Hudson was wounded twice in the right hand and Frank Gill was cut on the right side of his neck, his breast, left foot, and twice on the left hand.

The cries of the wounded men and the noise made by the crazy sailor awakened Captain Silva, who at once rushed on deck and cried for help. Genoario had evidently tried to reach the captain, for the former's body was found in Silva's cabin.

In response to the call, Special Officer Nicholas Murphy, who guards the wharf, ran to the vessel and looked into the cabin. He saw Genoario's body and immediately discharged his revolver in the air four times for assistance.

The excitement and the spectacle in the cabin were too much for the officer, and he collapsed with what afterwards proved to be partial paralysis. Several officers who answered the call found they had no work to do except to send for a physician to attend the wounded men. All were sent to the hospital, where their wounds were attended to.

Genoario had been acting rather queerly for several days, but special attention had not been given to his condition. The dead man was aged 32 and lived in Gloucester, where he had a wife and several children. He is spoken of there as having been a peaceable man, and as never having given any evidence of being mentally unbalanced. He came from Fayal a number of years ago, and it was said he had a similar attack of insanity at that place.

PRIEST IN COURT

Sued a Bishop for Salary Unpaid.

THE SUPREME COURT TO DECIDE MATTER.

Claimant Rebels Against His Superior.

Albany, Nov. 22.—Today the court of appeals was called upon to consider one of the most serious questions which that court has had to decide in some years, namely, whether the adjudication by a court of the Roman Catholic church of a controversy is a bar to a civil action in the regularly constituted courts of the state of New York. The supreme court, special term, and the supreme court, appellate division, have decided that a religious court in its nature is ecclesiastical only and has no jurisdiction to determine the civil rights of parties, and is no bar to action even by priests of that church in a civil court.

The question comes up on the appeal of the Rev. J. S. Baxter, a priest in the diocese of Brooklyn, from a decision of the metropolitan court of the archdiocese of New York, presided over by the vicar general, rejecting his application for reinstatement to his parish and for an award of $6665 salary alleged to be due him, and also from the judgment of the apostolic delegate at Washington, affirming that decision.

Father Baxter was assigned by Bishop Laughlin to duty in the Mission church at Babylon Sept. 10, 1885, at the usual salary, $1000 per year. All of the funds of the church were turned over to the bishop, who, it is alleged, guaranteed the payment of the salary. In 1892, the priest, because of physical disability, was relieved from duty, and at this time he asserts that there was a balance due him of $5565. In December of the same year, recovering somewhat, he was assigned to duty at St. Mary's hospital, Brooklyn, with a promise, as he alleges, that he should retain his pastor's salary and be sent back to his old charge. In 1896, after having received only $300 per year for services in the hospital, and the Rev. C. E. McDonnell having succeeded Bishop Laughlin, he brought his case to the attention of the metropolitan court of the archdiocese of New York.

The complainant asserts that while the case was in this ecclesiastical court, and while he was still suffering in health, he was induced by the vicar general, who presided, to sign a release for $1500 of his entire claim of nearly $7000. Upon his signing he was given the money, but was not restored to his parish. He appealed to the apostolic delegate at Washington, but the appeal was dismissed. He then carried the case to the state courts, and the defense interposed by the Roman Catholic prelates was, that the plaintiff had admitted that such metropolitan court had jurisdiction over him and that, being a member of the Roman Catholic church and subject to the rules, laws and discipline of that church, he was subject to the jurisdiction and adjudication of that church. The supreme court, special term, held differently, however. Upon this decision Father Baxter was allowed to bring action in the civil court, and from this Bishop McDonnell appeals to the court of appeals.

SAW OUT OF A KNIFE.

Lewiston, Me., Nov. 22.—John Sears, Charles W. Tillman and William Ritchie broke out of Auburn jail between Saturday night and Sunday morning. They sawed off an iron bar and climbed the fence by the aid of oil barrels. The instrument used was a silver plated table knife, of which they made a saw.

Sears is one of the fellows who broke into Record's second hand store some months ago and was captured in Lawrence by Detective Odlin. Tillman is the negro who stole a watch and required the whole of the Auburn police to capture. Ritchie is a boy 16 years of age from Bath, sentenced for breaking and entering.

CHURCH FLOOR COLLAPSED.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 22.—By the collapse of the floor of the Cory Methodist chapel last evening 600 colored worshipers were precipitated to the ground a distance of seven feet. A panic resulted, but only three persons were hurt, and they not seriously.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

A fire at Bath, Me., burned out Frederick Pond's restaurant. Loss, $2000.

The boiler of John Woodward's mill at Louisville, Miss., exploded, causing the death of three men. Several others were fatally injured.

Florentine Moser, a New York fortune teller, committed suicide because of grief over the death of her little daughter. The child was poisoned from chewing the end of a match.

Several of the Spanish newspapers express regret at the opposition of the government to General Weyler, on the ground that it will create a strong party against autonomy for Cuba.

A bill has been drafted for introduction into congress at the next session providing for the appointment of a board of code commissioners for the district of Alaska to draft a code of criminal and civil laws.

The widow of Cadott, lynched in Emmons county, N. D., will sue the county for $50,000 for the lynching of her husband. Emmons county is already almost bankrupt on account of the trial of the self-confessed murderers, of whom Cadott was one.

A dispatch from Hawarden says that Mr. Gladstone, concerning whose health an alarming rumor was widely circulated Saturday, is in his usual health, and Sunday morning walked to and fro between the castle and the village church, where he attended service.

There is no immediate prospect of the conclusion of the reciprocity negotiations between the United States and France. Both governments have presented elaborate statistics to show their respective positions in any reciprocity arrangements, but the matter has not progressed to the point where an agreement can be foreseen.

SPOKE AS A MOUTHPIECE.

London, Nov. 22.—The Berlin correspondent of The Chronicle says: "Count Goluchowski's statement with reference to the struggle with America has excited the most widespread interest here. It is believed that before he made public so remarkable enunciation of policy he had the consent of the other European powers with the exception of England, and spoke as the mouthpiece of those governments."

The Vienna correspondent of The Chronicle says: "Count Goluchowski's appeal to Europe to unite against transoceanic countries is regarded rather as a platonic desire than as a concrete program. Thus far no practical attempt in that direction is intended, at least by Austria."

FISHERMAN BUNCOED.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 22.—George Soller, a fisherman, was buncoed in Boston Saturday. He went to that city to spend the day with friends, preparatory to taking a steamer this morning for his home in Nova Scotia. He met a well dressed stranger, who claimed to have $8000 which he was afraid of losing. It was decided that Sollers and the stranger would put their money in one parcel.

The Nova Scotian had $75, and this was tied up in a handkerchief with what he thought was the stranger's $8000. The two then went to a theatre. The stranger went out between the acts, leaving the parcel behind. He did not return, and Soller decided to open the handkerchief. He was chagrined to find nothing in it but a newspaper, and was obliged to return to Gloucester, having no money to pay his passage home.

FIRE DESTROYS AN ICEHOUSE.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 22.—The large icehouse of Nathaniel Webster at Day's pond was entirely burned Sunday, together with a large and complete stock of ice harvesting implements, farming tools and several wagons. The fire spread to a farmhouse nearby, also owned by Mr. Webster. The total loss was $10,000, of which there is an insurance of $7500, the latter being divided, $4000 on the icehouse and $3500 on the dwelling.

Arthur Lovett, a harness man, was on his way to the fire when his horse became unmanageable through fright at one of the engines, and his vehicle was overturned. He received concussion of the brain and other minor injuries so that his condition is quite critical.

A Reminder to Father Time.

The late Mr. Dana studied Russian when he was 76, and Queen Victoria at 78 takes a daily lesson in Hindoo. Such examples remind Father Time that some people never grow old.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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120 Middle street, under new management. Meals served at all hours. Boarders by day or week. Our 20c. Dinners a specialty. Gent's board per week, $3.00; Ladies', $2.25 for 21 meals, also a special dinner ticket. 7 dinners for $1.25. Call and give us a trial, at Leclair's, 120 Middle Street, Cor. of Palmer Street.

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In the city, call at GEORGE ENWRIGHT'S place at 11 Middlesex street. This is the only place on the south side of the city where you can get Boltz's half stock ale. Just drop in and sample a glass. Also the choicest brands of wines, liquors and cigars

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Boarding and Lodging House

on one of the main streets for sale or will exchange for a cottage in city.

DONOVAN & MANSUR, Room 1, Swan Building, 26 Central street Lowell, Mass. Telephone 406-4.

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WANTED—EVERYBODY TO KNOW that we are first class carpenters at ... street. John W. Kinnan, carpenter and general jobber. All orders promptly attended to.

TO LET—A FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT, ... Chestnut street.

TO LET—A NICE LARGE BASEMENT well lighted, can be used for eating or brilliant printing rooms. Apply at Lesault & Co., One Price Jewelers, 50 Central street.

LADIES—CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c. stamps for particulars. "Relief for Ladies" in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—500 YOUNG AND OLD MEN TO bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment, 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

I CAN'T SLEEP—CONFOUND THE BUGS. You can if you use Noonan's Sure Death to Bugs. 15c at Dows', Central street; A. Moore', Gorham street, pharmacists.

ROOMS TO LET—IN THE SUN BUILDING Inquire at Sun office.

MENTHOL CREAM SHAMPOO IS USED in all the leading hair dressing and bath parlors in New England. Menthol Cream Shampoo removes Dandruff and all humors of the scalp. It contains alcohol, glycerine, and menthol. It gives a rich, creamy lather and when used in the bath will remove pimples etc., leaving the skin clear and soft. 25 cents per bottle. Sold by leading druggists.

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN TO solicit orders. Big pay. Call at office between 12 and 1 and 6 and 8 p. m. Lampron & Delano, 29 Central street.

NEAR THE BREWERY TO LET NEW COTTAGES, nice location and also houses at very low rent. Enquire of A. W. Parker, 66 Pine street or A. C. Russell, 331 Wilder street.

WANTED — HOUSEGIRLS AT THE Lowell Employment office, 352 Merrimack street, opposite City Hall.

FOR SALE—NEAR SALEM STREET, COTTAGE house with land. Price $1800. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WAGONS OWING TO LACK OF STORAGE I am obliged to sell at any price the following wagons: viz—1 high grade democrat, 1 first class grocers wagon, 1 very fine top square wagon, 1 extra second hand square wagon. 6 Robins St.

OPEN FOR THE SEASON—URBAN HALL and 3 small halls to let for parties and socials by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. Apply Room 1, Urban block.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COOK AT A hotel. Can speak French or English and furnish the best of references. Address T., Sun Office.

FOR SALE—NEAR CENTRAL AND Church streets, two tenement house with store and barn. This is a bargain. Price $3100. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO BUY their Clothing on credit. Custom made and ready to wear. Empire Clothing Co, Over 97 Central St. Open evenings.

FOR SALE—GOOD BOARDING AND LODGING house of 19 rooms, in a good location. Price only $3??. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

BACHELLORS WILL FIND NICE FURNISHED, sunny rooms, well appointed, at 145 Cross street, Mrs. Nawn.

LOST—ON MIDDLESEX STREET, A BUNDLE containing a pair of trousers and a shirt. Return to J. L. Chalifoux's store and receive reward.

FOUND—BUNDLE OF CURTAINS. APPLY at 60 Cheever street. Found Nov. 18.

TO LET—TWO PLEASANT FRONT ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, with gas, bath room, hot and cold water, etc. Rent low; call or address Box 2 157 Stackpole St.

LADIES, MY MONTHLY REGULATOR has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. I have never had a single failure; no other doctor can say this. Longest cases relieved in 2 to 5 days without fail, no pain; no danger; no interference with work; price $2.00; by mail or at office; consultation free; all letters truthfully answered. DR. TOLMAN CO., 170 Tremont street, Boston.

FOR SALE—IN PAWTUCKETVILLE, NEW cottage house and land. Price $1350, on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LOST — BETWEEN ROBINSON STREET and Hosford Square, pocketbook containing sum of money and receipt with Lizzie M. Young's name. Return to 15 Robinson street and receive reward.

LOST—A LITTLE FEMALE BLACK AND tan dog with collar without name. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at 148 High street.

WANTED—AT ONCE, LADY AND MEN canvassers. Something new. Salary and commission. Empire Clothing Co., Over 97 Central street.

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THE NEW ENGLAND INTRODUCTION Club. A reliable medium for introducing respectable parties, socially or matrimonially inclined. If interested send 10 cents to Box 186, L., Dover, N. H.

AGENTS WANTED—LADIE OR GENTS at 121 Fletcher street, for best household article on earth.

FOR SALE—FIVE MILES FROM LOWELL, small farm of 13 acres, cottage house and barn. Price only $1250 and on easy terms. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LOST—A BULL TERRIER RED AND WHITE pup, about four months old. Reward at 13 Willie street.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SALESlady for an Art Needle Work Dept. Must understand embroidery. Apply Reid & Hughes, Lawrence, Mass.

WANTED—A SMALL TENEMENT CENTrally located for man and wife in respectable surroundings. Apply to "B," Sun office.

LOST—A TERRIER DOG ABOUT 6 MONTHS old named Jack. Body shaggy dark color, head light color. Reward at 359 Stevens street.

AGENTS—$7.01 DAILY TO SELL SPEcialty Soaps and give customers double their value in handsome presents; exclusive territory; sample outfit free. Modoc Soap Co., Cincinnati, O.

FOR SALE—IN HAVERHILL, MASS., CONfectionery and Ice Cream saloon. Best location in the city. Will sell cheap. Address box 864, Haverhill, Mass.

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For Thanksgiving.

Rogers Knives, Forks and Spoons, Nut Cracks, etc. Quality the best. Our prices the lowest.

J. D. Grant, Practical Watchmaker, 64 Merrimack Street.

HOLIDAY GOODS

We have a few odds and ends that we are cutting down to holiday prices.

Popular Cocktails, 40c., were 75c.
Jamaica Rum and Maple Sugar, 85c., were $1
Crystallized Rock and Rye, 85c. were $1
Commodore Cocktails, Martini, 35c. were 40c.
Commodore Old Tom Gin, 60c. were 75c.

We also have a new invoice of

RHINE WINES

	Bot. Pts. Case.	Qts. Bot. Case.
Nierstein	$9	$8
Laubenheimer	$9	$8
Rudesheimer	$11	$10
Liebfraumilch	$13	$11
Libacher	$12	$11
Hochheimer	$13	$12
Zeltinger	$9	$8
(moselle or sparkling.)		
Brauneberger	$11	$10

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 45	8 53	6 00	*7 07
6 53	7 40	6 25	7 48
6 42	7 53	6 40	*7 55
*7 04	8 02	7 55	9 10
*7 30	8 10	*8 30	9 10
*7 28	8 15	*9 00	*9 58
*7 33	8 50	9 10	*10 05
*7 45	8 37	10 17	11 55
*8 00	9 42	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 55	11 30	§12 07
9 45	12 46	12 03	§12 50
11 00	12 01	1 00	§1 38
§11 42	12 25	2 03	3 04
§12 15	1 05	*3 02	§3 38
1 42	2 50	3 47	5 03
3 00	4 26	4 14	§5 32
*§3 52	4 35	*5 03	6 45
4 25	5 33	5 35	6 35
§5 21	6 15	5 47	6 57
5 44	7 10	6 14	7 30
§6 22	7 05	*7 33	§8 05
*§7 49	8 30	*8 00	§8 35
		10 15	11 22
		11 23	12 28

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 00	8 03	7 33	8 53
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 39	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 08
12 05	1 27	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 58	3 43	4 56
2 30	3 44	4 21	5 45
3 23	4 22	5 01	6 10
4 05	5 23	6 01	7 13
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 44
6 15	7 26	9 40	10 37
7 00	8 06	11 15 a	12 51
9 25	10 35		

Sunday Trains.

Lve.	Arr.	Lve.	Arr.
8 15	9 21	8 00	9 17
12 05	1 20	11 43	12 58
4 15	5 28	5 00	6 23
5 30	6 55	7 00	8 22
7 25	8 45		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

a Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Sunday Trains.

*7 20	8 19	2 10	$3 05
*7 28	8 15	9 00	$10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	$1 57
*9 15	10 10	5 00	$5 59
*4 25	5 32	7 35	$8 18
*5 38	7 00	8 00	$8 38
		9 00	10 05

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS.

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Allan, Anchor, Warren, French, German, and Italian steamship lines to or from Boston, New York, Liverpool, and Queenstown. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England, Scotland, and all parts of the world. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton st.

NOTICE.

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 22, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that on and after this date I shall not pay any bills contracted by my wife, Annie D. Brown, (formerly Mrs. Williams) she having left my bed and board. Signed

—William D. Brown.

A DOUBLE ROASTING PAN

Until Thanksgiving we will give away with a pound of our 60c. Tea a double roaster. See samples in show window. Telephone 23-2, Dickson Bros., 53 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central street.

Elegant rubber-tired hacks at O'Donnell's, Jefferson street. Telephone, 556-3.

Cold? Well, buy your coal of Rourke & Sullivan. It will keep your house comfortable. 223 Central street, 984 Gorham street.

BURN WILSON'S COAL.

One Ladies' Solid Gold Watch, unredeemed. Cost $50. Will sell $25. In good order, warranted. Harris, 10 Appleton street.

Pease's orchestra, at 201 Middlesex street, room 6. Order book at Lawler's book store, corner of John and Merrimack street.

A LIVELY RUNAWAY.

A horse belonging to Clepohas Heroux ran away Saturday noon in Central street. Mr. Heroux left his horse in charge of a boy while he went into a store. The animal collided with a stone post and with Mr. Dimodana's wagon. It was caught on Cabot street.

FIREMEN'S EXAMINATIONS.

No preparation has yet been made for the civil service examination for permanent members of the fire department. Mr. Coquant of the examiners said this week: "There is an impression that candidates for call positions in the fire department must undergo an examination. That is not correct. Call men who are now doing duty will not be obliged to undergo an examination unless they desire promotions to the permanent force. Permanent men now on duty will not be obliged to undergo an examination, unless they desire promotion."

MR. McDONOUGH ENTERTAINS.

Mr. Parker McDonough, the well known wine clerk, entertained a party of friends at his apartments yesterday the entertainment consisted of a number of selections on Mr. McDonough's graphaphone, the program including songs and selections by Maurice Johnson, Patrick Nealey and other well known artists. Mr. James Welsh rendered a number of vocal solos that were well received.

PRESENTED A SILVER SERVICE.

The overseers and yard employes of the Appleton mills on Saturday morning presented Mr. Charles H. Richardson, the retiring agent with a beautiful silver service. The presentation speech was made by Superintendent F. A. Bonan and Mr. Richardson responded. All the overseers were present.

TELEPHONE ALARM.

A telephone alarm summoned Chemical B of the Central fire station to Putnam's restaurant in The Sun building yesterday morning. A small blaze had started down near the boiler in the basement, and considerable damage was done.

A CHILD BURNED.

Edward McAndrews, aged 4 years, was frightfully burned while playing with matches at his parents' home, 43 Kidder street, Saturday afternoon. He was taken to St. John's hospital.

WORKINGMEN AND MECHANICS, THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

Terms liberal. A small amount down and the balance can be paid in monthly instalments.

Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 564 Middlesex street.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarets Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 21 MERK ST.

Purgatorial Pills.

The druggist would hardly smile if you asked for "purgatorial pills." There are many of them. But he would probably recommend a pill that did not gripe; a sugar-coated pill, gentle in action, and sure in effect. What are they called?

..Ayer's Cathartic Pills..

GARDE D'HONNEUR

THE MILITARY ORGANIZATION OF L'ASSOCIATION CATHOLIQUE.

The Garde d'Honneur de l'Association Catholique, the new military feature of that well known society, is making rapid progress with the marching movement.

Drills are being held regularly in St. Joseph's college.

The uniform will consist of pale blue trousers, a blue blouse and red collar, military cap and coats. The total cost of equipment will be $2000 and this amount will be raised by holding soirees during the winter.

Following is the roster, the officers being temporary: Albert Blazon, 1st. Lieut.; Albert Bergeron, 2d Lieut.; J. L. Lamoureux, 1st Sergt.; J. N. Cote, 2d Sergt.

Privates, Alfred Audette, Joseph Audette, Andre Belanger, Donat Blazon, Godfroid Blazon, Napoleon Bonneau, Phillippe Bourque, A. J. Burelle, Joseph Carrier, J. H. Choquette, Prosper Cossette, Joseph Cote, Alpdonse Dalphoud, Delphis Demers, Maxiere Donault, Sylvain Dion, Joseph Drapeau, Moise Fontaine, Joseph Geoffroy, Edienne Gervais, Edouard Gill, Charles Giroux, Albert Guimond, Adelard Hale, Alfred Hamel, Frank Lebreque, Ernest Labrie, Emery Lanoue, Joseph Labourdais, Pierre Levassour, Ovila Morin, George Nichols, Ernest Gullette, Octave Page, Wilfred Paradis, Adolphe Perron, Frank Rousseau, Henri Roy, Napoleon Servais, George Therien, L. P. Homer Turcotte, Louis Turgeon, E. Vallerand, Edouard J. Vigneault.

L'ASSOCIATION CATHOLIQUE.

The membership of L'Association Catholique has nearly reached the 500 mark. There is considerable interest in the contest for bringing the largest number of members during the remainder of the year. There is still talk about obtaining new quarters.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York

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LATEST NOVELTIES
FOR THE FALL SEASON.
Your inspection cordially invited.
Louis Alexander,
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Stylish Suits and Overcoats for the Men and Boys.

Capes, Jackets, Collarettes and Skirts for the Ladies' and Girls.

SOLD ON CREDIT.

Men's Nobby Suits $5 up.
Men's Nobby Overcoats $6 up.
Custom Made Suits $15 up.
Ladies' Jackets $5 up.

No need for anyone to freeze trying to save enough to buy your winter outfit, as our terms will enable you to buy now and pay for goods while wearing them.

EMPIRE CREDIT CLOTHING CO., Over 97 Central St. Open Evenings

THANKSGIVING

Is upon us. As loyal Sons and Daughters of a Grand and Glorious Nation, it behooves all to commemorate the event in the TRUE SPIRIT. Make your Homes attractive to both old and young. BECAUSE the Home is the safeguard of our beloved Country.

THANKSGIVING REQUISITES!

LINENS.

54 inch Bleached Table Damask, 39c a yatd.
54 inch Silver Bleach Table Damask, 49c a yard.
62 inch Silver Bleach Table Damask, 59c a yard.
62 inch Extra Fine Bleach Table Damask, 69c a yard.
68 inch Extra Superfine Bleach Satin Table Damask, 98c a yard.
Bleached Table Napkins, 5-8, Union, 59c a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 5-8, Union, 89c a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 21x 21, all linen, $1.25 a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 3-4 size, all linen, $1.59 a dozen.
Bleached Table Napkins, 3-4 size, all linen, $1.98 a dozen.
Linen Doylies, fringed, 5c each. 55c dozen.
Linen Damask Tray Cloths, 19c each.
Linen Damask, Hemstitch Tray Cloths, 29c each.
Linen Satin Damask Tray Cloths, 25c each.

THANKSGIVING REQUISITES.

LINENS.

Silk and Linen Doylies, 9c each
Hemstitch Table Cloths and Napkins to match, worth $7.00, for $4.98 set.
Hemstitch Table Cloths and Napkins to match, worth $8 00, for $5.98 set.
Hemstitch Table Cloths, 8-10, $1.98 each.
Linen Table Cloths, 79c.
Linen Huck Towels, 2 for 25c
Linen Huck Towels, hemstitch, 19c each.
And a thousand other items of equal importance at this season of year.

BASEMENT DEPT.

(Thanksgiving Requisites)

Drip Pans, all sizes, 9c.
Turkey Roasters, all sizes, moderate prices.
Carving Sets, one lot at 29c a set.

BASEMENT DEPT.

(Thanksgiving Requisites)

Carving Sets, all prices, new styles.
Water Sets, all styles, for choice, 98c a set.
Silver Knives and Forks at just about wholesale prices.
Plain Tumblers, 23c a dozen.
Fry Pans, 10c each.
China Peppers and Salts, Silver Peppers and Salts.
Illuminum Peppers and Salts, Nickel Peppers and Salts; All kinds of Peppers and Salts, from 3c and upwards.
Blue Edge Pie Plates, all sizes, 5c each.
Nickel Plated Copper Tea Kettles, 89c each.
Illuminum Tea Kettles, $1.49 each.
Special. 9 styles of beautiful English Decorated Dinner Sets, 112 piece Sets, for $6.98 a set.
112 piece Sets, Fine China Dinner set, exquisite decorations and gold banded, for $12.98.
10 piece Toilet Set, dainty decorations, $1.98 a set.

Everything for Thanksgiving at the lowest possible prices. See our Windows.

THE BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.,

THE BARGAIN GIVERS!

FIRE AND SMOKE SALE

And Thanksgiving Bargains.

AT THE

IMPERIAL CLOAK AND SUIT STORE

No. 11 BRIDGE STREET, LOWELL, MASS.

This week we propose to close our entire line of Imported and Domestic Garments, Samples, etc. We have cut another gash in our prices. What is left of our gigantic stock is the best and most desirable, and Thanksgiving week being the great week of the season for Cloaks, we take the opportunity to give our customers a chance of a lifetime to buy a handsome Garment cheap. Why are they cheaper than anywhere? Because the first mark was the Insurance company's loss, and the reduction we now make is our loss.

THIS WEEK---Come in and See Our Goods, Even if You Do Not Wish to Buy.---THIS WEEK COME

Here are a Few Special Bargains. But Any Article is a Bargain.

Capes at 98c.

Capes, Beaver Capes, jet trimmings, pleated backs, worth $8.50, price $3.98.

Jackets, Boucle Jackets, worth $10.50, they must go, price $5.75.

Jackets, Beaver Jackets, worth $7.50, they will go fast at $2.50.

Fur Collarettes. Never have we had such an elegant line of Fur Collarettes. The finest line in the city, and prices so low that anybody can have an elegant Fur Collarette for half price.

Brown Half Sheared Collarettes, worth $3.98, will go for $1.49.

Half Sheared Brown Coney Astrachan Yokes, worth $5.98, going at $2.75.

Astrachans, worth $4.98, go for $1.75.

They are all beauties. Half price on every Collarette in this store this week.

Fur Jackets, worth $25, for $12.50.

Capes, Fur Capes, in brown half sheared, worth $10.98, must go this week at $5.98.

Capes, Wool Seal Capes, worth $22.50, go at $12.50.

Capes, fur lined Capes, worth $18.50, go at $10.98.

Wrappers, Silk Waists, Skirts, Suits and everything must go. Prices are cut in two. If you want bargains come, this is the time.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes, just half what you will pay for them elsewhere.

Remember this stock at these prices will not last forever.

THE IMPERIAL CLOAK AND SUIT STORE

NO. 11 BRIDGE STREET, LOWELL, MASS.